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BOYLE—In proud and loving memory of Captain John Kemmy Boyle, M.C., Royal Irish Rifles. R.I.P. Quis Seperabit. Mass Haddington rd. Church to-day.—Mother, Grace Colman.

McCLEAN—In loving memory of William McClean, killed in action 22nd October, 1918. Inserted by his loving wife, Jennie.

RICE—In loving memory of Louis, aged 20, Royal Irish Regiment, eldest son of J. A. Rice, B.L., and Grace Rice, who was killed in action, in Flanders, 22nd October, 1918.

BIRTHS.

AVISON—October 17, 1923, at 89 Lower Baggot st., to Mr. and Mrs. George C. Avison, "Tregenna," Merrion rd., a son.

HICKSON—October 18, 1923, at Bathurst, N.S. Wales, the wife of Roland N. Hickson (née Mabel Howard), a son. (By cable.)

MacGOVERN—October 19, 1923, at Kingstown, to Captain and Mrs. Richard MacGovern, a son.

RUSSELL—October 5, 1923, at Private Nursing Home, 29 Upper Mount st., the wife of J. R. Russell, 66 Lower Mount st., a son.

WILSON—October 18, 1923, at 9 Drayton tce., South Kensington, London, the wife of J. G. Wilson, of Daramona, Streete, Westmeath, of a son.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BYRNE—October 18, 1923, Jane, beloved wife of Patrick Byrne, late Belgrave square. R.I.P. Funeral private.

CRAIGIE—October 19, 1923, at Sillogue, Finglas, Co. Dublin, Jane Milne, widow of the late George W. Craigie, aged 72 years. Funeral private.

FAVRE—October 19, 1923, fortified by the rites of the Catholic Church, Jules Emanuel Ferdinand Favre, 3 Eaton place, Monkstown, son of the late Emanuel Favre and the late Mrs. Favre, of Brogney, Upper Savoy, and of 71 Marlborough rd., Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral private.

FOWLER—October 19, 1923, at Bath, Mary, fourth daughter of Robert and Lady Harriet Fowler, of Rahinston, Enfield, Co. Meath.

GORDON—October 20, 1923, at her residence, Mountkearney, Newry, Georgina Laura Gordon, widow of the late Samuel Gordon, Esq., J.P., Mountkearney. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), 23rd October, at 3 o'clock, to family burial ground.

HAWKINS—October 16, 1923, at Spynan's House, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow, Mary Jane, loving wife of William Coral Hawkins. Deeply regretted. "With Christ, which is far better."

IRELAND—October 20, 1923, at Adelaide Hospital, Sarah, beloved wife of Henry Ireland, Whaley Abbey, Co. Wicklow. Interment to-morrow (Tuesday) at Ballinatone, on arrival of 10.40 a.m. train from Harcourt st. to Rathdrum. No flowers.

KELLY—October 21, 1923, at his residence, 50 Waterloo rd., Dublin, Alfred Betham Kelly, Solicitor, late of Castlebar, Co. Mayo, third son of the late William T. Kelly, Solicitor. R.I.P. Funeral strictly private. No flowers. Mayo papers please copy.

LONERGAN—At Mercer's Hospital, Annie, late of 5 Earlsfort place, Adelaide rd., eldest daughter of Ann Dowd and the late Peter Dowd, Cheeverstown, Clondalkin. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing daughter, mother, brother, sisters, and a large circle of friends. Remains left hospital at 3.30 yesterday (Sunday) for Clondalkin Chapel. Funeral to-day (Monday), at 2 o'clock, from Church of the Immaculate Conception, Clondalkin, to family burial ground, Kilbride.

LOTHIAN—October 21, 1923, at a Private Nursing Home, William Lothian (of Messrs. Eason and Son, Ltd.). Deeply mourned. Funeral from 105 Tritonville rd., Sandymount, to Mount Jerome, at 9.30, on Wednesday, 24th inst.

ROBESON—October 17, 1923, at Tewkesbury, Squadron Leader Vyvyan Arthur Hemming Robeson, Royal Air Force, M.C., Croix de Guerre, only son of Captain and Mrs. Robeson, of Wellington, Leckhampton rd., Cheltenham, in his 30th year. Funeral took place at Tewkesbury on 20th inst.

WALKER—October 18, 1923, at Netley, Berrylands, Surbiton, Anne Louisa, widow of John F. Walker, of Rathcarrick, Sligo, aged 80.

WILLIAMS—October 20, 1923, at Harbour House, Courtown Harbour, Jennetta, beloved wife of Anthony R. Williams. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), 23rd, 12 o'clock, to Kilbride, Arklow.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. Cantwell and family wish to thank their many kind friends who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement, and hope this acknowledgment will be accepted by all, as it would be impossible to answer each one individually.

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IN MEMORIAM.

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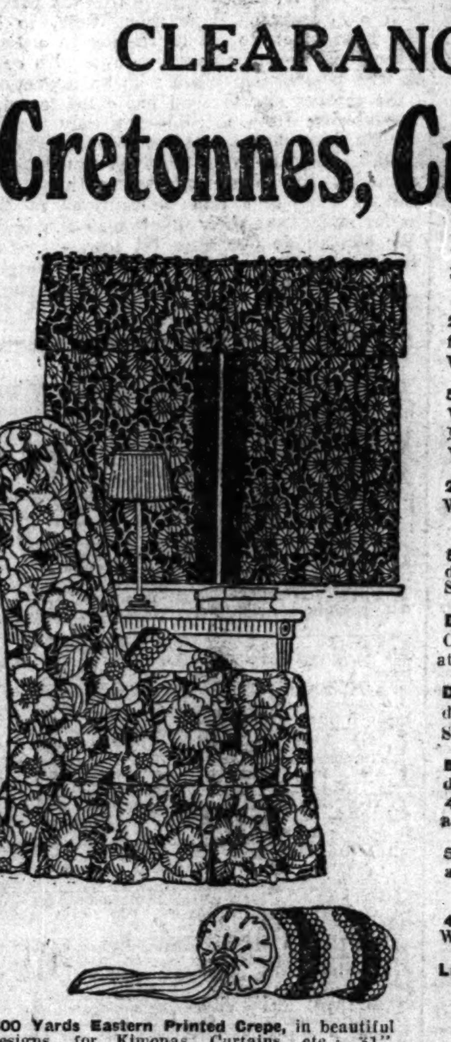

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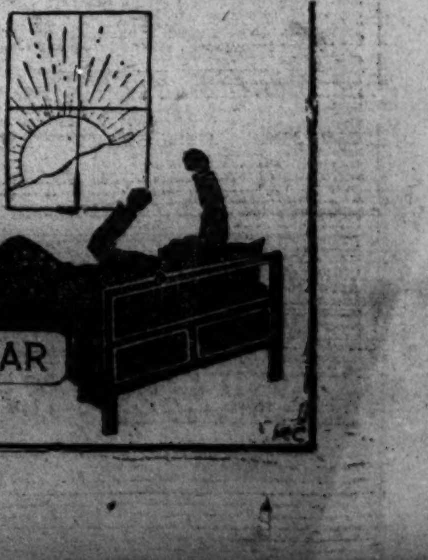

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BOY Apprentices—Youths, about 16, required for the House Furnishing, Hardware Department. Apply, in first instance, in writing, The Grafton Stores, Grafton street, Dublin. 19 B

DEMOBILISED Soldiers and Beginners—Your living guaranteed. Start your own Drapery Business; little capital required. Write for catalogue and advice.—H. Levaine, Dept. C., 143 Houndsditch, London, E.1. X

EXPERIENCED Lady Bookkeeper Wanted for Trader's Office; apply in own handwriting, stating age, experience, and wages expected; enclose copies of testimonials.—B 1019, this office.

FULLY experienced Lady Canvasser, Protestant, Required immediately, city Merchant's Office.—B 912, this office. 19 A

JUNIOR Clerk Wanted. Apply, stating experience, if any, and salary expected, B 1024, this office. 20 B

MANAGER Wanted for Newspaper and Job Printing Office (provincial); state experience, salary; give copies of references.—B 864, this office. 19 A

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STORAGE, Warehousing, Haulage, etc.—A Man Wanted in Dublin, conversant with the above businesses, to Canvass in Dublin City and suburbs for Dry Storage and Warehousing, Haulage, etc.; must be smart, energetic, cyclist, able influence business immediately. Apply, stating particulars, experience, references, wages, etc., B 968, this office. 19 A

SALESMAN Demonstrator Wanted, Ford Service Depot, Southern Ireland. Send reference and salary expected to "Z 1844, Salesman," this office. 19 B

SHORTHAND Typist Wanted; experienced lady required for confidential work in City Manufacturers' Office; duties would also include some clerical work. Apply, with full particulars, as to experience and salary expected, to B 904, this office. 19 C

SEXTON Wanted; £12 and excellent house (free), suit pensioner with family; no other need apply. Apply Rector, Kenmare. 19 C

SWEETS—Wanted, young Lady, Improver or Apprentice, for high class city house; must be well educated, intelligent, have nice appearance, and produce first class reference. City applications only considered. Address B 1066, this office. 21 B

SITUATIONS CONTINUED

USEFUL Help required, West of Ireland; good plain cook; knowledge of dairy and fowl. Address "Z 1870, Help," this office. 20 C

WANTED, Tobacconist Assistant; state experience and references.—B 785, this office. 18 B

WANTED, Manager, R.C., for Retail Butter and Bacon Store (provinces). Applicant must have thorough knowledge of bacon business and previous experience as charge hand of bacon counter. Address, stating salary required, to "Z 1784, Manager," this office. 18 B

WANTED, a good Junior Salesman for General Drapery (Protestant); state experience, copies references, and lowest salary (indoor). Address "Z 1807, Salesman," this office. 18 D

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WANTED, Mother's Help (Protestant), seaside, small family; all duties. Apply, stating age, salary, and send copy reference, to "Z 1864, Mother's Help," this office. 19 B

WANTED, young Protestant Gentleman to call on best Grocers and Confectioners in Dublin, 30/- weekly and commission.—B 864, this office. 19 A

WANTED, experienced Stores Man to take charge of Motor Accessories Sales Department, provincial garage, 30 miles from Dublin; enclose copy reference. Address "Z 1901, Stores Man," this office. 21 D

WANTED, efficient Shorthand Typist.—17 Upper Clanbrassil st., Dublin. 20 D

WANTED, two Probationers for Nursing Home, also two Maids, country girls. Address Box No. 1159, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 21 D

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GENTLEMAN Wanted, act Secretary Irish enterprise; must invest at least £1,000; seat on Board; confidential.—B 907, this office. 19 A

GENTLEMAN would join another, or lady, in Riding School.—B 1039, this office.

LOANS—The Commercial Union Loan and Discount Co., Ltd., 37 Middle Abbey street, Dublin, grant Loans. Apply to Manager. 26 22

PARTNER Wanted—Importer of Austrian Goods wants Partner (Lady or Gentleman), with capital £500 to £1,000; sound investment.—B 798, this office. 19 C

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AGENTS Wanted to Sell Profitable Goods of every kind. Catalogues free.—May (160), George st., Birmingham. T

AGENTS Wanted (either sex) to Sell Private Christmas Cards; free samples; valuable prizes; £10 easily earned without outlay. Write John Renshaw and Sons (Dept. 34), Accrington. 12 18

DUBLIN Wholesale Confectioners require Representative on commission, city and district; only applicants possessing first class connection and qualifications need apply; state terms expected.—B 1070, this office.

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LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

DUBLIN Solicitor requires capable Bookkeeper and general Clerk, whole or part time; give copies reference, experience, salary expected.—B 984, this office. 19 A

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SOLICITOR seeks position as Assistant Solicitor or Clerk.—B 1029, this office. 20 D

WANTED, Girl for Shorthand and Typing in Dublin Solicitor's Office.—B 962, this office. 19 C

WANTED immediately, a Costs Drawer for country Solicitor's Office. Please state salary required and send copies testimonials to "Z 1863, Costs Drawer," this office. 20 B

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Required for 1st January, fully qualified and Registered District Nurse. Will have to attend County Tubercular Dispensary. No Maternity work. Apply, by letter only, stating salary required, to Hon. Secretary, Mrs. PERCEVAL, Downpatrick.

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PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist or Registered Druggist required, manage Branch Medical Hall; R.C.; state salary (outdoor), copy references. Address "Z 1833, Medical," this office. 19 C

PHARMACEUTICAL—Qualied Assistant, 7 years' experience, desires post, city; highest references. Address "Z 1830, Medical," this office. 19 C

QUALIFIED Chemist, just disengaged, first class city and country experience, seeks position Locum or permanency.—B 767, this office. 19 C

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WANTED immediately, an experienced Chemist's Assistant, R.C. Apply, stating salary (indoor), with copies of testimonials, to "Z 1752, Medical," this office. 17 A

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ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success list free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin. T

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

THE STUDY OF CLOTHES.

IT is almost impossible to exaggerate the importance of clothes. No time or skill, and whatever money you can afford, spent in creating for yourself dresses that suit your personality, and the details of which make the success of such dresses, can ever be wasted.

When a business girl applies for a post her prospective employer scans her dress narrowly. He demands neatness as well as smartness. When you are asked to meet people who count, his or her eye unobtrusively scans your attire, and judges you by it—not by its expensiveness, but by its taste.

How many women will you see, who might otherwise be attractive, marred by the wrong style of dress. Yet, certainly, no woman can afford to dress unbecomingly.

Study yourself in front of a full-length mirror to begin with. Note your best points and your worst, and concentrate on revealing the former and hiding the latter.

If your feet and ankles and hands and wrists are your worst points, remember two things in connection with them. One is that mole-coloured or grey shoes and stockings are more becoming than any other shade, while both black and white are fatally enlarging, and the other is that the large-handed ones should always wear either long sleeves, or no sleeves at all, with evening dress. For instance, a pretty bare arm saves the ungainly hand at the end of it, but an elbow length or three-quarter sleeve is not becoming.

Then your eyes and hair, we will say, are your best points. Well, remember this, if you have red, auburn, or golden hair, blue eyes and a bright complexion, quiet colours are your fate, for you are too decorative by nature to need any "trimming." One lovely red-haired girl I know invariably dresses in soft modes, greys and blacks, with absolutely no colour relief, and looks very distinguished.

But if nature has made you pale and mousey haired, then a riot of colour may, indeed must, be your portion. If a mousey-haired girl is fair of skin, periwinkle blue, jade green, and lemon yellow are her colours; if colourless or sallow, deep reds, soft powder-blues, and warm apricot yellows and browns. But not to walk in the street, if you want a reputation for chicness. Quiet colours when you take your walks abroad, with a brilliant hat and bag alone to give a vivid touch.

I know a pretty bobbed-haired girl, very dark and piquant, who always wears vividly-patterned silks, loose wraps, and turban caps. She looks perfect, but when her younger sister borrowed one of her frocks she looked ridiculous. If you are "bobbed" stick to a piquant, short-skirted, bright-coloured style. If you are tall, slim, and with good features, the high-necked, long-waisted style is made for you. With it as a natural complement go those long-vamped, low-heeled, American shoes and little toques worn with a plain veil, not a dropping lace one, or a scarf-end at one side.

Long scarf-ends are the privilege of the dreamy-eyed, wavy-haired young creature, together with loose chemise frocks, voluminous sashes, flowing lace veils and cloaks—not coats.

To dress appropriately is to dress well. How ridiculous a perfect Paris gown and dainty high-heeled shoes can look in the country! How vulgar the most beautiful creation, worn with the most magnificent jewels, can become when donned for a little informal dinner, where the attraction is intellectuality and taste, rather than wealth and display! How hot it makes one feel to meet a lady wearing furs in midsummer, however much they become her! How one shivers to see diaphonous draperies in a cold East wind!

One longs to ask all women to emulate the maiden of the madrigal who lived, and was worthily loved, in the last year of the reign of Queen Elizabeth

> My love in her attire doth shew her wit,
> It doth so well become her;
> For every season she hath dressings fit,
> For winter, spring, and summer. . . .

Here was a lady who had reached the highest point in dress discrimination, and, for her good taste, has received the reward of immortality.

WINTER COLDS.

OF all the ills that flesh is heir to, there is none more miserable than the common cold in the head. And none for which there is less sympathy.

Its very "commonness" makes for this. There is nothing inspiring about a cold. It ranks with toothache and such-like ills lacking the importance, and even romance, of more aristocratic ailments. But whatever it may lack in exclusiveness, it certainly makes up for in disagreeableness.

Who has not experienced the aching head, the streaming eye, the sneeze that comes but will not sneeze, the excruciating agony of that most important member of the anatomy for the time being—the nose?

And what other complaint short of small-pox has so disastrous an effect on the beauty of its victims? However brilliant the eye, however dazzling the complexion, however rosebuddy the mouth—all alike must subside into ignominious ugliness at the first fell appearance of a cold. Even a Garvice heroine could scarcely withstand the ravages of a cold and remain her exquisite self. However, this devastating complaint has one good feature, it ranks with *mal de mer* in reducing its victims to a stage where anything in the nature of personal appearance is for once totally ignored. This, indeed, is fortunate.

Not the least of its symptoms, and one scarcely recognised as it should be, is its extreme tendency to infection.

Some people seem to forget that a cold is infectious, judging by the way they mingle with their friends, when visibly suffering from this distressful malady. Even if they don't feel like it (and most people do), they should retire and rest their aching heads in the shelter of their pillow, breathing out their infectious germs in the seclusion of their bed chamber.

Besides, there is nothing like "bed" for curing a cold; it is the best medicine ever prescribed. Frequent hot drinks of very weak tea or lemon water are helpful. Some swear by strong punch, others may consider this cure worse than the complaint—very few probably. However, that is by the way.

What we have to consider is—the season of colds is now upon us, with all its attendant miseries.

From this time on the following remarks will frequently be heard—"How are So and So?" and the answer: "Oh, they have all had bad colds," or "they've all got colds," and if they haven't it will be pretty safe for the listener to predict that they all very soon will have colds. Such is life in this our climate. Alas, we cannot alter the climate, but we may do something towards the prevention of infection. It is thoughtless, to say the least of it, to invite friends to a house where half the members are down with colds. A wise person will refuse such an invitation.

No mother should send her child to school if suffering from a cold—not only for the child's sake, but for the sake of other children. Let those who must go out into the arena of life when infected with this insidious complaint take precautions to keep as far away from their fellow men as possible. We can all do our little bit towards retarding the progress of this universal scourge.

Let us see that we do it this coming winter.

B. M.

MOORE AND MURPHY.

THEY are neighbours, and their combined ages make a total of about twelve years, both having turned their backs upon their fifth birthdays and now looking forward to their somewhat shadowy sixth. They consistently address each other by surname alone, and when together their tendency is to boast in extremely loud tones of the things they can do.

My attention was attracted by these loud, boastful voices, and, looking from the window, I saw the friends approach, hand in hand, the pleasant afternoon sun shining upon their uncovered flaxen heads. Their very gait looked important, and each of them swung his disengaged arm with great vigour and took as long strides as his short legs would permit. They were engaged in the musical exercise known as "blowing one's own trumpet," but the performance was rather spoiled by the fact that occasionally they both blew at one and the same time. "We do live upon that hill," said one loudly, "an' I do come down that lane an' all the ways to here meself, an' I wouldn't be afraid. Would you be afraid, Murphy?" he asked suddenly. "Murphy" took a deep breath and dropped his companion's hand. "Do you see that gate off down a far ways?" he said, pointing a fat forefinger; "I could run from here to that ould gate an' I'd never stop. Would you run to the gate, Moore?" he questioned. "Moore" changed the subject. "If I had a piece of stick," he said with enthusiasm, "I'd cut the head of every wan of them ould nettles." He swung his short arm viciously. "That's the way I'd cut the heads of them," he said, "an' there wouldn't be wan standin' afther." "Murphy" looked rather impressed and cut the air with the action of decapitating anything that might stand in his way; then he rallied. "I can ride on a horse," he boasted. "When me father brings out the big black wan, I do ride him down to the field; I do nearly gallop him," he added, warming to his subject. "Moore" wilted visibly, for never in all the five long years of his life had he sat upon a horse's back. "I do dhrive in the cows," he said, but in a ghost of his former tones. There was silence for a little; then their eyes lit upon some yellow snapdragons, of which I was justly proud, and "Murphy," carried away by his own accounts of his prowess, leaned forward and picked one. At that instant I appeared at the door. "What have you got there?" I asked severely. The culprit stood aghast.

"Ha, ha, Murphy," said "Moore."

D. M. L.

FOR THE COOK.

VEAL GALANTINE.

Ingredients.—A knuckle of veal, one or two eggs, quarter pound cooked ham, forcemeat balls, salt, pepper, some grated lemon rind, and chopped parsley.

Method.—Butter a round dish, and decorate it with the slices of hard-boiled egg and forcemeat balls. Add some bits of the veal (after boiling the knuckle) and cooked ham. Fill up the dish with strong veal stock, and put in a slow oven for half an hour. Turn out when set, and serve with salad.

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ACCOUNTANT, qualified, teaches Bookkeeping, Mathematics, etc.; careful attention given to beginners.—B 1049, this office.

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DISENGAGED, experienced young Nursery Governess (Catholic), music, needlewoman.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel. 21 D

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EVENING Classes are now being resumed at Secretarial Training, 16 Kildare street; very moderate terms. X

LADY Teacher, certificated, musical, desires Church Education School; thoroughly experienced Teacher. Reply B 879, this office. 18 B

LADY Professor of Music wishes to give Private Tuition.—B 1025, this office. 20 E

LADY, good University, qualification, would Grind for Law Exams.—B 1036, this office.

LADY Candidate, Bachelor Honours, would Grind School or College Exams, or Teach in school.—B 1050, this office.

PIANOFORTE—Miss Daly, certificated R.I.A.M., has vacancies for Pupils; reduced fees for beginners.—17 Haddon road, Clontarf. 20 D

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie's), 100 Lower Mount st. 'Phone, 3055. T

SHORTHAND and Typewriting—Morning, Afternoon, and Evening Classes; special attention backward pupils; terms very moderate. Apply Secretarial Training, 16 Kildare street. 1 X

VACANCY after Christmas high class Dublin School for Kindergarten Students, Resident, I.C.; full training given; nominal fee in return for help given. Address "Z 1849, Tuitions," this office. 19 X

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AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin, Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

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ENGLISH Governess, experienced teacher, Protestant, required, children age 11 and 7, quiet village; musical, good accent; nice home for suitable person. Address "Z 1891, Governess," this office. 21 D

JUNIOR Assistant Mistress (I.C.) Wanted for school in Dublin suburbs. Apply, giving qualifications, experience, and copies references, to B 647, this office.

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TEMPORARY Protestant Governess Wanted immediately, till Christmas, one hour morning, teach girl (seven).—G. P., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 19 O

WANTED, Principal Teacher (female), Corbally N.S.; Protestant; Board salary; 23 on roll. Apply Manager, Timoney, Roscrea. 17 A

WANTED, R.C. Nursery Governess for four children, youngest 5 years; teach first lessons; good needlewoman.—Murphy, Montebello, Esplanade, Bray. 19 C

WANTED immediately, Lady Principal Teacher for Carndonagh National School, Co. Donegal. Apply Rev. J. Dickson, Moville. 20 D

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

A RESPECTABLE Youth seeks situation, any capacity; well educated; has good handwriting; indoor or outdoor.—B 975, this office. 19 C

BOOKKEEPER—Young Lady, 7 years' experience Grocery and Provision, willing to assist generally, disengaged; highest references.—B 759, this office. 17 A

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DRESSMAKER, experienced, wants Work, ladies' houses; quick worker, alterations.—B 753, this office. 17 A

DISENGAGED, Bookkeeper, Ledger Clerk, general office work; highest references.—B 945, this office. 19 A

EMPLOYMENT WANTED CONTINUED.

DANCES—Pianiste seeks Engagement at dance balls; very moderate.—B 1048, this office. 20 D

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GROCERY and Provisions—Working Manager, presently engaged Co. Dublin, wants change; fully experienced trade increaser, willing worker. Address "Z 1745, Manager," this office. 16 F

LADY recommends Dressmaker, as Sewingmaid or Lady Help.—B 1071, this office.

MOTHER'S Help, R.C.—Well recommended Girl desires position, caring children, light housework, etc.; willing to be trained as Parlourmaid. Reply, stating wages, B 1020, this office.

NURSERY Governesses, Mother's Help, etc, available, Dublin or district. Apply Windsor Bureau, Edenderry. 19 A

PROTESTANT Companion Help, Lady Help, or Useful Help, maid kept.—B 895, this office. 19 C

QUALIFIED Electrician open to take contracts privately; moderate charges; shop, house, or warehouse wiring; immediate.—B 923, this office. 19 C

SHORTHAND Typist, just left school, wishes position in Shop or Office; small wages to start.—B 922, this office. 19 B

YOUNG Girl, after twelve months' training, wishes to apply for position as Shorthand Typist; excellent reference—B 790, this office. 13 B

YOUNG Lady would go as Companion Help, Mother's Help, or as Attendant to Invalid; good reference; home preferred to salary. Address "Z 1847, Lady," this office. 19 A

YOUNG Girl, highly educated, desires Junior position as Shorthand Typist; excellent references.—B 944, this office. 19 A

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

WANTED, elderly Couple, Protestants, to reside in gate lodge; man able to milk, do plain gardening, care pony and trap. Address "Z 1872, Couple," this office. 19 B

WANTED, General Man (non-union) to assist in stables with hunters, ride and strap; must be good milker, willing to make himself generally useful; wages 25/-, lodging, firing, light and milk.—Hope Johnstone, Trim. 21 C

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

GARDENER and Wife Wanted; woman willing to housekeep for two or three young men; only experienced gardeners need apply; state wages.—E. MacLysaght, Raheen, Tuamgraney, Co. Clare. 20 X

WANTED, Garden Boy, understand milking, about 17; live in; wages £14.—Mrs. Grimshaw, Wicklow. 19 B

WORKING Steward Wanted immediately, demesne farm, Co. Donegal, chiefly grass; must be good judge and understand management of stock; Wife to look after house when unoccupied. Address, with copies references, etc., "Z 1904, Steward," this office. 21 D

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

AN experienced Yard and General Man, single, 30; highly recommended; disengaged beginning November; full particulars on application. Address "Z 1755, Man," this office. 17 A

COACHMAN disengaged, experienced training young horses; excellent papers; generally useful.—B. Keys, Faheeran, Moate. 19 X

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HERD, experienced; castrate, dishorn, treat disease; recommended. Address "Z 1898, Herd," this office. 21 D

HERD Caretaker, married, no incumbrance, I.C., wishes employment in nobleman's or gentleman's place; good recommendation.—Wm. Anderson, The Cottage, Antrim.

LADY recommends General Man, willing, trustworthy; can care and drive horses, also motor; married. Apply Dermody, The Rocks, Kilkenny. 21 E

WORKING Herd, married, life experience; long and satisfactory discharges. Address "Z 1752, Herd," this office. 18 B

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

A RESPECTABLE Man wishes to go as Plain Gardener, indoor; generally useful, can milk if required; good references.—B., c/o Manley's, Newsagent, Rathdown, Co. Wicklow.

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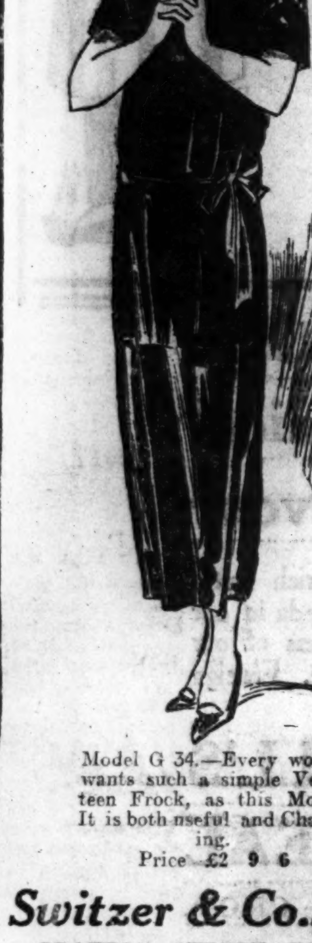

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FLOWERS—Unequalled St. Brigid Anemones, 12, 3/-; 50, 9/6; Wallflowers, mixed, 30, 1/9; 60, 3/-; 100, 4/6; separate colours, 50, 3/-; 100, 5/6; Polyanthus, mixed, 6, 1/6; 12, 2/9; Pansies, mixed, 12, 1/6; 30, 3/-. For pots, Canterbury Bells, 12, 1/9; 24, 3/3; 50, 6/-; Gypsophila Paniculata, 4, 1/4; 12, 3/6; Geum Glory, 4, 1/3; 12, 4/6; Gaillardias, 4, 1/4; 12, 3/6; Hollyhocks, Single, mixed, 6 2/-; 12, 3/9; Double, mixed, 4, 1/3; 12, 3/6; 25, 6/6; Double, separate colours, 6, 2/6; 12, 4/6.—Reamsbottom's, Geashill. X A

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HAWLMARK Sweet Peas for Autumn Sowing. The finest strains, saved from our famous gold medal stocks, of unrivalled purity, perfume, and colour.—Alex. Dickson and Sons, Ltd., Hawlmark, 61 Dawson st., Dublin. 24 X

MACKEY'S Hyacinths, for Bowls, pure white, pink, light and dark blue, each 2/- doz.; Bedding, all colours, mixed, 2/8 doz; 10/- orders for Bulbs, with cash, post free. C

MACKEY'S Early Single Tulips, 24 in 4 colours, named, for 3/-; all colours choice mixed, 1/6 dozen. C

MACKEY'S Narcissus and Daffodils, very choice mixture, of many varieties: 9/- per 100, 1/4 dozen. C

MACKEY'S Christmas Flowering Polyanthus Narcissus, double Roman yellow, paper white, large flowering white, 3/- per doz.: these are suitable for bowl culture. C

MACKEY'S Bulbs in Bowls, planted, ready for Sale; we have a choice selection, already started into growth, suitable for Christmas presents; book your Bowl now. C

MACKEY'S Bulbolin (Regd.)—The only compost for growing Bulbs in Bowls that gives results: 1/6 3lb. packet, free by post, 6/- bushel carr. paid. C

MACKEY, Sir James W., Ltd., Seedsmen, 23 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin: established 146 years. C

NAMED Chrysanthemums for Sale. Seen Willowbank, Bushy Park road, Tuesdays and Fridays.

PLANTS—Cabbage, 500,000 best Early or Late York, 2/- per 100, 10/- per 1,000, 20/- per 3,000, all carriage free.—Power, Oaklands, New Ross, Co. Wexford 21 D

PLANT now Strawberries, to give good crop next year; Royal Sovereign or Laxton's Fillbasket, 7/6 per 100, carriage free.—Power, Oaklands, New Ross. 21 D

PLANT now for Spring Display—Double White Clove Pinks, Pansies, Violas, Canterbury Bells, Polyanthus, 1/6 dozen; Red or Yellow Wallflowers, Double White or Crimson Daisy, Blue Myosotis, 1/- dozen, 5/6 100, carriage free.—Power, Oaklands, New Ross. 21 D

RARE Pink Lily of Valley, 4/- dozen, post extra.—Palmer, Lodge, Dromahair. 13 B

WANTED, Red Primroses, Scarlet Climbing Tropæolum, Lilies, Szovitzianum, Colchicum, Nankeen.—Williams, Killucan. 8 15

WANTED, Double Polyanthus, Hose-in-Hose, yellow coloured Primroses.—Williams, 6 Morehampton road, Dublin. 18 B

WALLFLOWERS, Blood Red, good strong plants, 2/6 per hundred, postage extra.—The Cottage, Drumcondra Park, Dublin. 18 A

100 BEAUTIFUL Variegated Flowering Shrubs. Other variety to be Sold at 15 Sorrento Road, Dalkey.

MACHINERY.

ARCHER for Repairs to Steam and Gas Engines, Petrol and Steam Motor Lorries, Portable and Traction Engines; Boilers and Machinery of every description; prompt attention; reasonable prices; estimates free. Sole Agent for Cochran Patent Boilers.—City of Dublin Engineering Works and Saw Mills, New Wapping street, Dublin. 'Phone, 1902. Telegrams: "Superfine." X

BRITISH United Co.'s 3a Shoe Finisher, also a Blake Sole Sewer and 3½ h.p. Electric Motor, by Crompton; Sell together or separately. Apply Hugh Kearney, Auctioneer, Limerick. 20 F

CROSSLEY 12; Petrol Engine for Sale; fine order.—Mathews, Bank View, Portarlington. 19 D

FOR Sale, 30" Band Saw, as new, £22 10/-; 30" Saw and Borer, £30; Fret Saw, £20; Small Rip Saw, £20; Shafts, Pulleys, Belts, on view.—101 Capel street. 20 X

OIL Engines, Grinding Mills, Graters, Threshers, and Winnowers.—The Dairy Engineering Co. of Ireland, Ltd., 21 and 22 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. 10 T

STEEL Tanks, Cisterns, Chimneys, Troughs, etc.—Cleveland Company, 290 Vauxhall road, Liverpool. X

5 DYNAMOS for Sale—Secondhand Crompton Machine, 220 volts, 1,115 r.p.m., 5 h.p.; shopsoiled B.T.H. Machine, D.Q. 4, 100/140 volts, 20 amps., 1,900 r.p.m.; New Electric Construction Company, 100/140 volts, 125 amps., 1,000 r.p.m., unused; Secondhand Motor, 110 volts, 60 amps., 3,070 r.p.m.; B.T.H. Machine, D.Q. 6, 50/75 volts, 30 amps., 1,000 r.p.m., unused. Apply A. B. Ormsby, 12 College Green, Dublin. 19 C

20 H.P. Robey Undertype Compound Steam Engine for Sale, with condensers attached; in perfect order; every test given. Apply McGlynn and Hanlon, Auctioneers, Tullamore. 16 B

FURNITURE.

AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Antiques. T

A CARVED Walnut Bed for Sale, very handsome, complete with spring mattress, etc.; a bargain, 20. Apply B 1051, this office.

LAWLOR Briscoe will buy or Sell your Surplus Furniture. Auction every Thursday.—35 Ormond quay. T

MAHOGANY Dining Table, 4' 9" wide, extend 5' 6" to 13' 6". Sell cheap.—B 938, this office. 19 A

STUDY Chair (mahogany and Morocco), 50/-; Lounge ditto, £3 15/-; low Fireside Chair, 30/-; small Waggon, Wireless, Oval Table, Duchess Table, Washstand, various Oddments; cheap. Seen 46 Booterstown avenue, after 4 o'clock. 21 X

WANTED, 20 yards Stair Carpeting, 27ins.; Bedroom Carpet, pink, 4 x 3.—B 1038, this office.

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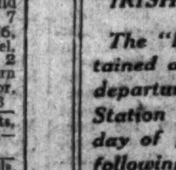
Dixon & Hempenstall's Spectacles



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Open Daily 9 to 6 o'c
Manufacturing Opticians
SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

"IRISH TIMES" IN LONDON.

The "Irish Times" can be obtained at the Bookstall on the departure platforms at Euston Station on the evening of the day of publication, or on the following morning at the London Office, 59 Fleet Street.

SENT BACK TO GLENCREE.

In the Northern Police Court, Dublin, on Saturday, before Mr. Lupton, K.C., Terence Kenna, aged 17 years, of Stone View lane, Kingstown, was charged with the larceny of £8 from the house 17 Mellifont avenue, and also with absconding from Glencree Reformatory on the 5th May, 1922. It was alleged that the accused entered the house by the back door and took a purse containing the money from a dressing table in a bedroom. He was serving in the National Army at the time the present charge was brought against him. The accused was sent back to Glencree.

The Memorial Chapel within the south transept of Durham Cathedral, in honour of the men of the Durham Light Infantry who fell in the war, is to be dedicated by the Bishop of Durham.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED STRONG.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Saturday.

Stocks opened irregular, and subsequently turned strong on an accumulation of Tobaccos and buying of leading Railroads and Industrials, especially Union Pacific Common, Northern Pacific Common, Baldwin Locomotive, Studebaker Common and Corn Products Refining. The market closed strong. Government Bonds steady. Railroad Bonds steady. The day's sales totalled 270,000 shares. Money on call dull. Sterling exchange easy. Silver ⅛c. up for foreign mined at 63¾.

Canadian Pacific, Chesapeake and Ohio Common, Norfolk and Western Common, Union Pacific Common, Great Northern Ore Certificates and American Smelting and Refining Common advanced ½; Chicago and North-Western Ord., 1; Erie 1st Pref., U.S. Steel Common, Bethlehem Steel Common and Anglo-American Oil Shares, ⅝; Great Northern Pref. and Northern Pacific Common, 1½; Wabash Pref., ¾; and U.S. Rubber, 1¼.

Shell Ord. declined ½; Atchison Topeka, General Mortgage Bonds and Union Pacific Bonds advanced ½; and Reading Mortgage Bonds ⅝.

Gold to the value of 4,000,000 dollars has arrived here from London.

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Fri.	Sat.	Business Done H.	L.
113⅜	Funded	102½	102¼	—	—
107	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	95⅜	95½	—	—
97	Do. Preference	87½	87¼	—	—
62⅜	Baltimore and Ohio	56⅞	56⅞	—	—
159⅜	Canadian Pacific	143	143½	—	—
74	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	66½	66¼	—	—
16⅛	Chic. Mil. & St. Paul	14⅝	14⅝	—	—
68⅜	Chicago and N.-West	60½	61½	—	—
25⅛	Erie 1st Preferred	22	22⅝	—	—
54½	Do. 4% Gen. Lien Bds.	49⅜	49½	—	—
59¼	Great Northern Pref.	52½	54	—	—
115	Illinois Central	103¾	103¾	—	—
65⅞	Lehigh Valley	59	59	—	—
96⅛	Louisville & Nashville	87	87	—	—
12⅛	Missouri, Kan. & Texas	11⅛	11⅜	—	—
70⅜	Do. New 4% Bonds	63⅜	63½	—	—
56	Do. Adj. 5% Bonds	50⅝	50⅝	—	—
10⅛	Missouri Pacific New	9¼	9½	—	—
4⅞	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pref.	4	4	—	—
2⅝	Do. 2nd Pref.	2⅝	2⅝	—	—
111⅞	N.Y. Ctl. & Hudson R.	100½	100½	—	—
113⅜	Norfolk & West Com.	101¾	102¼	—	—
58⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	51	52½	—	—
17⅞	Ontario and Western	15¾	15¾	—	—
46⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	41⅞	41⅞	—	—
83¾	Reading Shares	75¼	75⅜	—	—
69¾	Do. 1st Preferred	54½	54⅝	—	—
95⅜	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	86½	87⅛	—	—
35⅛	Southern Railway	32¾	33⅞	—	—
95⅛	Southern Pacific	85⅞	86⅛	—	—
20⅞	Texas and Pacific	18⅛	18⅞	—	—
142⅞	Union Pacific	127¾	128⅝	—	—
79	Do. Pref.	71⅜	71½	—	—
102⅛	Do. 4% Bonds	92	92⅛	—	—
10⅜	Wabash Common	9⅛	9⅛	—	—
34⅛	Do. Preferred A	30½	31½	—	—
61⅛	Amer. Smelt. Refin. Com.	55¼	55¾	—	—
39⅞	Anaconda Copper	35⅜	35½	—	—
26⅞	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	23⅜	23¾	—	—
67⅞	N.Y. Cons. Gas	60⅞	61¼	—	—
183½	General Electric	170	170	—	—
97⅞	U.S. Steel Common	87½	88¼	—	—
131⅜	Do. 1st Preferred	118⅜	118½	—	—
113⅜	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	102	102	—	—
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	63⅝	63¾	—	—
7⅛	Inter. M.M. Com. Certs.	6⅞	7	—	—
29⅛	Do. Prefd. Certs.	26⅛	26½	—	—
49⅛	Royal Dutch Oil	44⅜	44⅜	—	—
33⅛	Shell Transport	30⅛	28⅝	—	—
61⅛	Pan-American Pet.	54⅝	55⅝	—	—
16⅛	Anglo-American Oil	14⅝	15	—	—
15⅛	General Motors	13⅝	13¾	—	—
39⅛	U.S. Rubber	34¼	35½	—	—

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex Bonus. §Ex rights.

	Friday.	Saturday.
Call Money	4½b.-4¾a.	Nominal.
Ex. on Ln. 60 days' st.	4.49.12½	4.48.00
Ex. on Ln. Demand Bills	4.51.75	4.50.62½
Cable Transfers	4.52.00	4.50.87½
Ex. on Paris	5.98	5.90
Ex. on Berlin	.000000.01	.000000.00¾
Cotton Mid. Upland	30.20	30.30
Do., New Orleans, Mid.	29.25	29.88
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum. Yellow Spot	12.20	12.37
Cot. Seed Oil, Yel., Dec.	10.65	10.80
Petro. Refined, in cases	15.90	15.90
Do. Standard White	13.00	13.00
Do. Philad. Stan. do.	13.00	13.00
Do. Pennsyl., Crude	2.75	2.75
Spirits of Turpentine	99	101
Do. Savannah	92½	94
Resin, Grade K	4.45	4.47½
Do. Grade F	4.45	4.47½
Lard, Prime West. Stm.	13.37½	13.60
Do. Midland West	13.00—13.10	13.20—13.30
Tallow, Extra	8¾	8¾
Sugar, New Cuban	7.66	7.66
Corn, West., No. 2 Mix.	123¾	124¾
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr.	120½	121½
Do., No. 2 Red Winter	120	121
Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm.	109	110
Coffee, Rio No. 7	11½	11½
Flour, Spring Clears	5.25—5.75	5.25—5.75
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	22.00—22.50	22.00—22.50
Tin, Straits	41.75	41.75
Zinc, East St. Louis	6.35	6.35
Electrolytic Cop., Spot	12⅞—13	12⅞—13
Do. do., Futures	12⅞—13	12⅞—13
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom, per bushel	2/6	2/6
Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel	12	12
Freight, Cont. to L'pool (high density)	25	25
Do., Stand (per 40lb.)	30	30

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Saturday.

Wheat—Spot market firm, 1c. to 1½c. dearer. Exporters took 40 boatloads. Receipts—Atlantic 634,000, last year 614,000; clearances 646,000, last year 582,000.

FLOUR steady and unchanged.

CORN—Spot market firm, 1c. up. Receipts—Atlantic 64,000, last year 472,000; clearances nil, last year 382,000.

LARD—Cash firm at 22½ to 20 points rise.

COFFEE opened steady, 6 to 5 points up, and went higher on favourable Brazilian market news and buying by commission and Cotton Exchange houses. The market closed steady at 2 to 7 points advance. Spot firm and unchanged. Approximate sales—10,000 bags. December, 9.23; March, 8.58; July, 8.02; September, 7.87.

SUGAR—Spot steady; Porto Rico unquoted. Futures steady and unchanged to 2 points up. October, 6.00; December, 5.10; March, 4.06; May, 4.14.

RUBBER easy; first latex crepe, 27¼; smoked ribbed sheets, 25¼.

COTTON opened firm, 15 to 45 points higher, and further rose on firm cables (notably from Manchester), reports of frost in the central Western belt, signs of an improvement in the public demand, and buying by the trade and foreign houses; but later some of the gains were cancelled by the disappointing conditions in the cotton goods trade, Southern selling, and sales to realise, and the market closed barely steady, although 29 to 7 points up on the day. Spot steady, 10 points higher. New Orleans spot 63 points up. The current week's receipts at the ports are estimated at 325,000 bales. Receipts—Atlantic, 11,000; Gulf, 27,000. Exports—Britain, nil; Continent, nil. New York futures in last 20 seconds of trading—October, lowest 29.75, highest 29.85; November 29.72, 29.72; December 29.60, 29.65; January 29.13, 29.15; February 29.19, 29.19; March 29.25, 29.28; April 29.30, 29.30; May 29.35, 29.40; June 29.07, 29.07; July 28.84, 28.85; August 27.53, 27.53; September 26.62, 26.62. New Orleans futures in last minute of trading—January, lowest 29.07, highest 29.09; March 29.05, 29.08.

COTTON OIL firm. PETROLEUM steady.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat steady and unchanged; No. 2 hard winter, 113.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat dull; No. 2 red winter, nominal.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat firmer at 1½c. rise; No. 1 Northern spring, 116¼.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened steady, ⅛c. up, and closed steady, ⅛c. to ⅛c. up; December, 93½; May, 98⅞. Oats steady, ⅛c. dearer; December, 38⅞.

CHICAGO, Saturday.

WHEAT opened steady at ⅛c. advance, and went higher under stronger Winnipeg advices, large seaboard clearances, smaller interior receipts, covering, and a demand from commission houses and millers; then declined partially on selling by cash houses and realising. The market closed steady at ⅛c. to ⅛c. advance. Spot irregular. No. 2 hard winter, spot, 108⅞; No. 3 hard winter, spot, 108¼. December, 105¼; May, 110⅝; July, 107¼.

CORN opened easy, ⅛c. to ½c. down, and weakened further on predicted increased receipts and better weather; but rallied temporarily owing to small stocks and bull support; then again fell under poor cash demand, bulls unloading, and selling pressure. There was some covering late, but the market closed barely steady, ⅛c. to ⅜c. lower. No. 2 mixed, spot, 107½; December, 75⅞; May, 72⅞; July, 73¼.

OATS steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. December, 41¾; May, 44½; July, 43½.

PROVISIONS opened steady, and advanced on light stocks and offerings, shorts covering, and foreign buying. A good cash demand was recorded, and the market closed firm, with lard 20 to 17½ and ribs 15 to 10 points up; pork unquoted. Lard—October 12.37½; December, 11.47½; January, 11.17½. Ribs—October, 9.45; January, 9.22½.

BACON steady, 12½ points up to unchanged. The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1, total 22,076,000, against 17,466,000 for the same season last year. The week's hog-pack totalled 175,000, against 140,000 last week and 103,000 a year ago.

HOGS steady and unchanged to 5 points up.

	Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted.	Loose.	HOGS. 160 to 230 lbs.		240 to 320 lbs.
To-day	9.12½	10.50	6.60	7.40	7.00	7.55
Prev. day	9.00	10.50	9.60	7.40	7.00	7.50

BANKING FUSION.

The directors of the London and Brazilian Bank, Ltd., state that, subject to the sanction of the Treasury Committee controlling bank amalgamations, and to the passing of the requisite special resolutions, a preliminary agreement has been arrived at for establishing a community of interests between this bank and the London and River Plate Bank, Ltd.

The result to the shareholders of the London and Brazilian Bank will be that for every five of their shares they will receive two fully paid shares of £25 each in the London and River Plate Bank, arrangements having been made whereby part of the existing capital of the latter bank will be paid up in full, and so rearranged that ultimately the whole paid up capital will equal the present paid up capital of the two banks.

The Polish Minister of Public Works has approved the construction of a canal which will connect the Upper Silesian coal basin with the Baltic and with Warsaw through the Rivers Warte and Vistula.

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAIN SALE

Commences TO-DAY at
KELLETTS
FOR THE CLEARANCE OF
Accumulated Stocks.

Big Reductions have been made in all Departments, and we give particulars of some exceptional Bargains which we offer

POST ORDERS are despatched by return. Remittances for Orders under 20/- must include sufficient to cover Postage. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

HOUSEHOLD DRAPERY

30 Down Quilts (Imitation), full double bed size, with inserted panels of satin in shades of pink, red and navy. Sale Price, each 13/11

About 100 **Woolette Under Blankets**, soft fleecy finish, in pink and blue, size 58" x 78". Worth 5/6. Sale Price, each 3/6

56 Pairs of **Beautifully Hemstitched Pure White Sheets**, size, 66" x 80". Worth 10/6 per pair. Sale Price, each 3/5½, or per pair 7/11

About 50 dozen **Unbleached Damask Cloths**, extra strong make, size 60" x 56". Usual price 4/0½. Sale Price, each 2/11

A Job Lot of Pure White **Huckaback Towels**, heavy make, size 20" x 38". Worth 10½d. Sale Price, each 6½D

80 dozen **Lace Trimmed Duchess Sets**. Worth 10½d. Sale Price, per set 6½D

100 dozen **Frilled and Plain Pillow Cases, slightly soiled.** A mixed lot in which some are worth from 1/11 to 2/6. All clearing during Sale at, each 8½D

CURTAINS.

About 100 pairs of **Lace Curtains**, soft finished Net, in white and cream. 2½ yds. long. Were 5/11. During Sale, at, per pair 2/11

50 pairs **Lace Curtains**, in Cream and Ecru, some excellent designs. 2½yds. long. Worth 9/11. Sale Price, per pair 5/11

About 60 pairs of beautifully Finished **Net Curtains**, in Cream, White, and Ecru. Double Net Nottingham Lace, suitable for diningrooms and drawingrooms. Length 3 yds. Were 10/6, but reduced during Sale to, per pair 6/11

JUMPERS AND BLOUSES

50 **Jumpers** of Best Quality Wool, copy of Alpacca Model, with V neck, long sleeves, pockets and sash. In Shell Pink, Camel black, Lemon, Silver and Amethyst. Usual Price, 9/11. Sale Price 5/11

About 20 **Jumpers** of Crepe-de-Chene and Stockinette, slightly shop-soiled. Usually 29/11. Clearing during Sale at 8/11

Prince of Wales Jumpers, in exquisite Luxor colourings, with V neck and long sleeves bound with silk braid to tone. Sale Price 9/11

Jap Schappe Blouses, with new Bertha Collars, trimmed with ecru lace. Sale Prices, 8/11 and 6/11

About 30 Odd **Woollen Jumpers and Spencers** in various Colours. Usually 4/11 to 10/11. All clearing during this Sale at one price, each 2/11

CHILDREN'S WEAR

Misses' Weatherproof Coats, lined throughout, in Fawn only. Sizes, 36", 42" and 45". Sale Price, each 21/-

Girls' and Misses' Frocks, in Wool Serges and Gabardines. Navy, Brown and Beaver. Sizes, 36" to 45". Usually selling from 25/11 to 63/-. All clearing during Sale at each 21/-

Children's All-Wool French Knitted Frocks. Sizes, 24" to 36". Usually 21/- to 42/. Sale Price, each 10/6

Children's Knitted Wool Capes with caps to match. In White and Jade. Usual Prices from 23/11 to 39/11. All clearing during Sale at each 12/6

LADIES' HOSIERY

Silk and Wool Hose, Marl Mixtures. In Black/White, Tan/White, Nigger/White, Grey/White, Putty/White. In plain and fancy ribs. Usually 5/11 Sale Price, per pair 3/11

50 Dozen **Art Silk Hose**, in Black only. Worth 1/11 Clearing during Sale, at per pair 1/-

30 Dozen **All-Wool Hose**, in Black, Cream, Grey, Nigger and Coating. Were 2/6. Clearing during Sale at, per pair 1/6½

30 Dozen **All-Wool Sports Hose**, Plain and Fancy Ribs. All Colours. Were 3/11. Sale price, per pair 2/6

20 Dozen **All-Wool Hose**, 4 x 1 Rib. In Black, Tan, Grey, Nigger and Heather. Were 3/11. Sale price per pair 1/11

40 dozen **Hose**. Art Silk to Knee. In Black, Tan, Grey, Putty, Nigger, Coating, Beaver, etc. Were 2/11. Sale Price, per pair 1/6½

30 dozen **Hose**. Marl Mixtures. In Coating/White, Tan/White, Grey/White, Putty/White. Were 3/11. Sale Price, per pair 2/6

LACES

Shot Tissue, 22in., in Pink/Silver, Rose/Gold, Mauve/Silver, Old Gold, Bright Gold, and Silver, suitable for fancy dresses, fairy dresses, decorations, etc. Sale Price, per yard 1/11

SCARVES

A Very Special Lot of **Pure Striped Scarves**. Originally 25/11. Sale Price 10/11

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

In this Department Immense Reductions have been made of which the following items are typical:—

A Continental Velour Hat, becoming Upturned shape, as sketch; daintily trimmed, in Black, Navy, Royal, Rust, Cardinal, Mole, Almond, Nigger, Cinnamon, Quaker, and Gold. Sale Price 10/-

20 Austrian Velours of best quality in a variety of newest shapes and colours. Usually 29/11. Clearing at 21/-

500 Ready-to-wear Hats in Velour, Light-weight Felt, Suede, Mouflon, Velvet, Plush, etc. Usually 12/11 to 21/11. Clearing during Sale at 10/-

A variety of **Children's and Girls' Hats**, ready-to-wear, in best quality Beaver, Velour, Felt and Plush, clearing at greatly reduced prices.

Every item in the Dept. has been very much Reduced. See Windows for the Bargains.

DRESS MATERIALS

All-Wool Velour Cloth, 56-in., beautiful quality and extra heavy weight, suitable for Coats; in all this season's shades. Sale Price, per yard 8/11

All-Wool Gabardine, 54-in., in Nigger, Light Brown, Beaver, Fawn, Grey, Navy and Black. Sale Price, per yard 6/11

All-Wool Serge, 56-in., extra heavy quality, in Navy and Black. Sale Price, per yard 3/6

All-Wool Cheviots, 56-in. in Prune, Marone, Emerald & Amethyst. Clearing during Sale at, per yard 2/11

All-Wool Striped Skirtings offered for clearance during this Sale at, per yard 2/11

LADIES' COMBINATIONS AND VESTS

20 dozen **Heavy Merino Combinations**, in natural and white, V neck and short sleeves or with low neck and no sleeves. Were 5/11. Sale Price, 3/9

18 Dozen **All-Wool Combinations**, opera tops, with V neck and short sleeves, or low neck and no sleeves. Were 6/11. Sale Price 4/11

10 dozen **All-Wool Combinations**, in White and Natural, with V neck and short sleeves, in women's size only. Heavy Winter Weight. Were 10/11. Sale Price 7/6

Ribbed Merino Combinations, heavy winter weight. Were 3/11. Clearing at 2/6

Heavy Ribbed Vests, All Wool. Chemise length, with V neck and short sleeves. Usually 2/6. Sale Price 1/6½

All-Wool Chemise Vests, with V neck and no sleeves. Were 4/11. Clearing now at 3/6

Heavy Merino Vests, with long sleeves. Were 3/6. Now clearing at 1/11

Merino White and Natural Bodices, with long and short sleeves. Were 2/11 and 3/11. Clearing during Sale at 1/9

GLOVES

Ladies' 2-Dome Heavy Tan Cape Gloves for Hard Wear. Usual Price, 5/11. Sale Price per pair 3/11

Ladies' 2-Button French Castor Washing Gloves in chamois colour only. Clearing at per pair 3/11

Ladies' 2-Dome Tan Leather Gloves, with warm fleecy lining. Guaranteed to wear well. Usually 10/11. Sale Price per pair 5/11

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A Large Selection of **Fleecy Wool-Fringe Gauntlets**, in White, Grey, Beaver, Nigger, Putty and Stone. Sale Price per pair 2/9

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A clearing line of **Ripple Cloth Dressing Jackets**, ¾-length sleeves, in shades of Pink and Mauve. Clearing during Sale at, each 4/11

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Golf Shape Fleece-lined Knickers, in Mole, Grey, Navy, full woman's size. Sale Price 2/11

Extra Heavy Weight Fleecy Knickers, golf shape, buttoned at knee. Sale Price for woman's size 4/6 OSE., 5/6.

Fleece-Lined Underskirts, in grey only, with shaped band, full size. Usually 3/11. Sale Price 2/9

Pure Wool Directoire-shape Knitted Knickers, with ribbed knees. In Navy, Almond Green, Grey, Fawn and Brown. Usually 6/11. Sale Price 5/3

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Crepe Corona, 38in., in Ivory, Sky, Pink, Champagne, Apricot, Jade, etc. Usually 5/11. Sale Price, per yard 4/11

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Printed Brocades, 38in., smart designs, suitable for linings. Usual Price, 4/11. Sale Price, per yard, 3/11

Chiffon Taffeta in all the newest colourings. Usually 6/11. Sale Price, per yard. 5/11

Black Duchesse Mousseline, 36-in. Usual Prices, 6/11, 5/11, 4/11, 4/6. Sale Prices, respectively, per yd. 5/11, 5/6, 4/6 and 3/11

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR

10 dozen **Brushed Wool Cardigans**, in Grey, Nigger, Mole, and Canary. Originally 6/11, but clearing during Sale at, each 3/11

Wide-end Ties, in neat designs. Were 2/6 & 3/6. Clearing during Sale at, each 1/6½

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A Mixed Lot of **Flap-over Hand Bags**, exceptional value. All clearing during Sale at, each 8/11

Aluminium Saucepans, genuine good wearing articles; in sets of four for 4/11. Single sizes, each, 1/9, 1/6, 1/3, and 11½D.

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Black Artificial Silk Shoe Laces. Usually 6½d., but offered during Sale at 3½d. per pair. One dozen pairs for 2/11

Artificial Knitting Silks, in a choice variety of shades. Our regular 3/11 quality, selling during this Sale at, per hank 2/11

Artificial Crepe Silk of excellent quality, in all popular shades. Sale Price, per hank 3/11

60 All Pure Down Quilts, filled with best Down and suitable for large double beds; in Saxe, Crimson, Green, Helio, Pink, Black. Worth 45/-. Sale Price, each, 34/11

100 dozen **Bleached Damask Cloths**, suitable for kitchen use, 45" x 45". Were 2/6. Sale Price, each 1/4½

80 dozen **Slightly soiled Pure White Damask Table Cloths**, 58" x 58". Worth 5/11. Bargain Price, each 3/8½

About 150 pairs of Beautifully Soft **Fleecy Wool Blankets**, made specially for us. Size 78" x 58". Worth 8/11. Sale Price, each 6/9

50 dozen **All Pure Linen Stamped Kitchen Cloths**, very heavy Twill. Size 24" x 36". Sale Price to clear, each 10½D.

Cosey Pads, filled with Kapoc, full size; in Blue, Pink, Red, Yellow and Green. All clearing during Sale at, each 1/11½

A Special Clearance will be made of 50 dozen **Elastic-top Sports Corsets**, lightly boned; in White, Mauve, Pink, Light Blue. Sizes 22" to 26". Sale Price, each 8/2

Ladies' All-Wool Dressing Gowns, with plain roll collar and long sleeves, lined to shoulders. Sale Price 23/11

Quilted Silk Dressing Gowns, high neck and long sleeves. Colours, Brown lined Pink, Navy lined Red, Amethyst lined Pink, Rose lined Cream. Sale Price 29/11

A Wonderful Sale Offer of **Charming Crepe-de-Chene Frocks**, in Purple, Grey, Saxe, Green, and Rust. 46" and 48". Sale Price 32/11

A Model Velour Coat with Fur Collar, gathered on hips; in Mole, Nigger and Beaver 63/-

Short Fur Coats ("Wanda"), in Seal Coney. Sale Price 5 GNS.

Short Nutria Coney Coats, excellent value at Sale Prices, each 8 gns. and 7 GNS.

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	Usual Price.	Sale Price.
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"	5/11	2/11
"	8/11	4/11
3 yards long	6/11	3/11
"	10/6	4/11
"	15/11	7/11
3½ yards long	10/6	5/11
"	14/6	7/6
"	18/11	9/6
"	22/11	12/6

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GERMANY AND MARGARINE MANUFACTURE

COURSE OF THE TROPICAL PRODUCE MARKET.

(FROM OUR LIVERPOOL COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

The course of prices of tropical produce shows a good deal of variation. The general tendency, notwithstanding occasional fairly sharp declines, is, on the whole, towards higher values. In most cases the demand has been slightly in excess of the supply, which is shown by the fact that most oil seeds have for some time been commanding a substantial premium for early delivery. This has occurred in the face of very large imports, and clearly indicates increased consumption. Carefully compiled figures show that the imports of oils, fats, oil seeds, etc. (including butter, lard and margarine), arrived at by deducting the exports from the imports, are in excess (up to the end of September) to the extent of 761,598 tons, against 630,614 tons for the same period last year. The interesting feature from the international point of view is the fact that, notwithstanding the further de-valuation of the mark, the German Government has continued to provide the necessary foreign exchange to enable their manufacturers to carry on, and it seems likely that, whatever may happen to the exchange, the German Government will be in a position to continue its assistance to the margarine producers. The palm oil market for the week has been quieter, with sales amounting to only 1,250 tons. In the early part of the week consumers did not show much interest, and in practically all descriptions a loss of about 5s. per ton was registered. The lower level, however, attracted more buyers, and the decline has been quickly recovered; while in some cases an additional improvement is recorded. Forward positions exact a small premium, but "distants" are generally at a discount. Parcels with full transit options bring better prices than those offered on quay terms only. Another feature of the week is a fresh inquiry from the U.S.A., though up to the present this has not developed into business of much volume. Current quotations include—Lagos, £36 15s.; Sherbro, £35 10s.; Benin, £36 10s.; and Niger, £37.

The market for refined oils has been fairly firm, with more inquiry experienced than for some time, and consumers are showing some interest with regard to their requirements in forward positions. Business in nut oils has been quiet, and prices have slipped away in a few cases; but there is no substantial change. Ground nuts have been in fairly good demand for near parcels, with new crop Rufisque selling up to £17 2s. 6d. Nigerian decorticated are not on offer.

FIRE IN RINGSEND.

A fire yesterday in a large shed belonging to the Ringsend Dockyards Company in the Ringsend road was extinguished by the Pembroke Fire Brigade, under Captain Hutson. The fire occurred among packing cases and the damage is estimated at £200, but it is covered by insurance.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere.—(Advt.)

Amoebic dysentery has broken out in the Bethune coal district, and seven deaths have occurred. It is believed that the disease has been introduced by natives of North Africa brought to work in the devastated regions.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT.

DUBLIN MAGISTRATE WARNS OFFENDERS.

Mr. Lupton, K.C., in allowing out on bail, in the Northern Police Court, Dublin, on Saturday, John Finnerty, of Ward Hill, who was charged with obtaining unemployment benefit while in employment, said that this kind of offence was too common and would have to stop.

In future, he said, imprisonment would be the penalty for such offences, and the only question for the magistrate would be the length of the sentences.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

The Board of Nomination for the United Parish of Narraghmore and Fontstown (Diocese of Glendalough) met on Thursday last at the diocesan offices, 43 Kildare street, Dublin, and adjourned to Friday, 2nd November.

The Incumbency of the Mariners' Church, Kingstown, will shortly be vacant owing to the appointment of Rev. A. E. Hughes as Chaplain to the Molyneux Asylum and Rector of Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin.

At a meeting of the Committee of the Church Education Society which was held recently it was stated that an increase in the number of subscribers was hoped for, as recent developments in country dioceses would, no doubt, result in an increase of applications for assistance. This society exists for the purpose of helping Protestant schools in parishes which are unable, owing to the small number of parishioners, and consequently a small school attendance, to obtain a teacher from the National Board. The society lays stress on the necessity of combining Scriptural with secular education in the schools which it aids.

The Armagh Diocesan Synod has been summoned to meet on Thursday, October 25th, in the Church House, Armagh. The usual Missionary Conference will meet in Armagh on October 24th.

The Diocesan Synod of Killala and Achonry has been summoned for Friday, October 26th, at 12 noon, in the Parochial Hall, Ballina.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Harvest Thanksgiving Services have been held in Maryborough Methodist Church, which was decorated for the occasion. The Rev. D. C. Moran was the preacher. At the evening Service the choir sang, and on Tuesday evening a Service was held. An address was delivered by the Rev. W. Massey. Mr. Wilkinson, of Abbeyleix rendered a solo, and Mr. Robert Wilde, of Abbeyleix, presided at the organ.

Harvest Services have also been held in Mountmellick Methodist Church. The Rev. W. Massey, Chairman of the District Synod, preached morning and evening on Sunday, and there were large congregations. Mr. G. Pim presided at the Service on Monday. The church was tastefully decorated.

Mrs. George Hadden, of China, has held a series of meetings in Dublin in the interests of the Women's Auxiliary and Girls' League Missions, and was heard with great interest.

ST. GEORGE'S Y.M.C.A.

Meeting this evening, at 8 o'clock, in the Parochial Hall, when a paper entitled "Some Notes on the Irish Language" will be read by Mr. J. P. Kernode.

AUCTION BRIDGE.

Competition No. 10. Prize, £2 2s.

(CONDUCTED BY "PALOMAR.")

1. The prize will be awarded to the competitor who sends in the play of the hand given below equal or nearest to the rendering of "Palomar," who will give reasons for any special features.
2. One side only of a sheet of paper must be used.
3. All entries must be addressed to "Palomar," *Irish Times, Dublin*, and must arrive not later than the first post on next Friday.
4. "Palomar's" decision on all points shall be considered as final, and no correspondence will be entered into on the subject of the competition.
5. All entries must be accompanied by the upper part of this article, which should be cut out.

SCORE—LOVE ALL.

A and B are partners against Y and Z. "Z" is always the dealer, and "A" is on his left.

PLAY THE HAND AS IF DUMMY'S WAS THE ONLY ONE EXPOSED.

Z: Sp. 6 5; H. A; D. A 10 9 7 5 4; Cl. A 8 4 3

B: Sp. Q 10 8; H. J 4 3; D. K 3 2; Cl. 9 7 6 5

A: Sp. A 7 4 3; H. K Q 7 6 2; D. J; Cl. K Q 2

Y: Sp. K J 9 2; H. 10 9 8 5; D. Q 8 6; Cl. J 10

BIDDING.

Z.	A.	Y.	B.
1 D.	1 H.	2 D.	2 H.
3 D.	3 H.	No.	No.
4 D.	No.	No.	No.

TRICKS.

A and B. .... Y and Z ....

"Palomar" will welcome the views of competitors as to whether, in their opinion, the original declaration should have been 1 No-trump.

Commence the game thus.

Tricks.	A.	Y.	B.	Z.
1.	K H.			

Place next lead below winning card. Star the winners, or draw line underneath. Number the tricks in rotation.

Result of Competition No. 9.

We have pleasure in announcing that as the solutions sent in by Mrs. Holmes Wilson, 2 Martello terrace, Kingstown, and Miss Kitty Moore, 54 Leeson Park, Dublin, have been found equal in merit, the prize will be divided.

THE PLAY.

Tricks.	B.	Z.	A.	Y.
1.	K H.*	4 H.	3 H.	7 H.
2.	Q H.	J H.	6 H.	4 D.*
3.	Q Cl.	K Cl.*	5 Cl.	10 Cl.
4.	8 D.	K D.*	2 D.	5 D.
5.	7 Cl.	Q D.	3 D.	A D.*
6.	2 H.	5 Sp.	J D.*	10 H.
7.	4 Sp.	7 Sp.	Q Sp.	A Sp.*
8.	8 Cl.	8 Sp.	7 D.	9 D.*
9.	5 H.	2 Cl.	9 H.	4 Cl.
10.	10 Sp.	J Cl.*	10 H.	3 Sp.
11.	8 H.	A Cl.*	J Sp.	6 Sp.
12.	K Sp.	3 Cl.*		

13. Is taken by "Y" with the last Trump.

A and B, 2; Y and Z, 11.

NOTE ON THE DECLARATIONS.—The bidding between "B" and "Y" is of a type often seen, where each side is afraid to leave the call with the opponent. Each is prepared to put up with some loss, rather than risk the loss of the game. At Trick 3 the declarer, having established the Clubs left in Dummy's hand, sees that if he can clear the Trumps he has a good chance of game. At Trick 5—if it were known that the adverse Trumps lay three and two, the obvious course would be to play small on the Queen at this trick—put the lead into the declarer's own hand with the Ace of Spades, draw the last Trump, and make a small slam, discarding the 5 and 3 of Spades on the long Clubs. But it is possible that "B" has no more Trumps, in which case the Trumps cannot be drawn in three rounds, and "A" will necessarily get the lead with the Knave.

If, then, the declarer has parted with the Ace of Spades, the opponents will be able to make two tricks in that suit before "Y" has had a chance of discarding his two losers. This will make four tricks scored in all by "A" and "B," defeating the contract.

It being necessary, therefore, to retain the Ace of Spades, the dealer must take over the Queen of Trumps with the Ace, so as to be able to lead a third round at once and get the Knave out of the way.

By this method eleven tricks and the game are a certainty; the possible missing of "SMALL SLAM" is a matter of minor consequence.

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REMANDED IN CUSTODY.

ALLEGED COMPLICITY IN ARMED RAID.

James Shiels, Newfoundland street, appeared before Mr. Lupton, K.C., in the Northern Police Court, Dublin, on Saturday, charged with conspiring, with two men not in custody, to rob and with robbery under arms on the 12th inst. at the licensed house of Elizabeth Kavanagh, The Wharf Tavern, East road.

William Clancy, assistant manager, examined by Mr. J. W. Davis, for the prosecution, stated that on the afternoon of the 12th inst. three men, one of whom was armed with a revolver, came into the shop. One called for three pints of porter. The man who produced the revolver shouted "Hands up!" while the others jumped over the counter and took all the cash—about £5—from the cash register. The accused man was one of the three.

A boy named Bernard Lawless, who is employed at the premises, said that the accused was the man who had the revolver.

The accused man, who said that the witness was mistaken, was remanded in custody until Friday next.

A large number of Germans have arrived in Lisbon from Hamburg, in some cases with their families, in search of work. They include tailors, glaziers, and cabinet-makers, and some of the women are lace-makers.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

HARVEST THANKSGIVINGS.—Harvest Thanksgiving Services were held in many of the Dublin churches yesterday and were largely attended. Special anthems and music were rendered and special preachers delivered appropriate sermons. The Bishop of Ossory preached at Christ Church Cathedral in the morning, and there was festive evensong in the afternoon. The offerings were in aid of the Cathedral Choir Superannuation Fund, a fund which was highly commended by the Bishop in his address. Collections for the rebuilding and re-equipment of the Religious Tract Society's Depôt at Tokio, which was destroyed by the recent earthquake, were made at St. Mary's Parish Church, Mary street, Dublin.

NATIONAL MATERNITY HOSPITAL.—The annual charity sermon in aid of the National Maternity Hospital, Holles street, was preached by the Rev. George Byrne, S.J., in St. Andrew's Church, Westland row, Dublin, yesterday. The preacher paid tribute to the work carried on at the institution and emphasised its importance in the national sense. When the love of little children was not found in the nation, decay was bound to follow. On the welfare of infants was based the ultimate progress of a people, and the exercise of their charity ensured the growth of genuine patriotism.

PRESENTATION TO REV. J. C. IRWIN.—The Rev. J. C. Irwin, incumbent of St. James's Church, Dublin, has retired after thirty-four years' ministry in the parish, and has been presented by the parishioners with a wallet of Treasury notes and an illuminated address. The address records the esteem in which Mr. Irwin is held in the parish and an appreciation of his pastoral work.

KILLED BY RUNAWAY HORSE.—James Coffey, aged 20, Rathmines, was knocked down by a runaway horse and cart in Rathmines on Saturday morning, and died shortly after admission to hospital. Michael Byrne, the driver of the cart, was thrown off and sustained bruises.

DUBLIN ROTARY CLUB.—The Dublin Rotary Club will entertain Mr. H. D. Phillips and some of the other members of the Carl Rosa Opera Company to lunch to-day, in Clery's Restaurant, Sackville street, at one o'clock. Musical items will be rendered.

CONNAUGHT.

SOLDIERS SENT TO PRISON.—At Mayo Criminal Sessions, Private William Studdert, a private in the National Army, was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment for the larceny of a quantity of jewellery, the property of Mr. William Lynch and his wife, of Glenlossara Lodge, Ballycastle, County Mayo. The articles included two gold rings valued at £50 each. The military were billeted at the lodge when the larceny occurred. Michael Halligan, a sergeant in the National Army, was sentenced to twelve months for an offence under the Criminal Law Amendment Act.

ATTEMPT TO DEFRAUD CREDITORS.—Leo Coleman, draper, Castleton, was sentenced to three months with hard labour at Castlebar for attempting to defraud his creditors. The accused filed his petition as an arranging debtor, but sent two bales of goods to his father in Dublin as clippings. The bales were found at the North Wall and then sent back to Castleton. The evidence was that the goods were worth £100.

WOMAN'S SUICIDE BY HANGING.—At an inquest at Louisburgh, Co. Mayo, into the circumstances of the death of Miss Margaret Sweeney, aged 40 years, who was found hanging in the barn attached to her house, the jury returned a verdict of suicide while temporarily insane.

COST OF P.R.—The last urban election in Loughrea under the proportional representation system cost the Town Commissioners £120, their annual revenue. Under the old system the expenses did not exceed £20. The Commissioners are to make representations to the Government.

LEINSTER.

LOCAL AUTHORITY'S BILLS.—Clare Mental Hospital Committee owes, says our Ennis Correspondent, between £7,000 and £8,000 to local traders who have supplied the institution with provisions and necessaries.

NO ECONOMY AT POOR'S EXPENSE.—Gorey District Council has decided to inform the Local Government Board that it cannot accede to the request to reduce the amount of outdoor relief paid to boarded-out persons, owing to the high cost of living. It was remarked at a meeting of the Council that the amalgamation was a "muddled job."

TIPPERARY HEALTH SOCIETY.—At a meeting of the Tipperary Health Society in the Town Hall, Nenagh, the Secretary submitted the accounts of the Society, which showed that during the last nine months £1,854 had been paid in benefits, and that during the previous two years £6,290 was distributed. Contributions were much less than the sum paid out, and the drain on the surplus funds had been considerable. The Committee decided to reorganise the society.

PLEA FOR LOCAL SHOPKEEPERS.—Cashel shopkeepers, after discussing the Government's method of dealing with the purchase of goods for public institutions, has passed a resolution to the effect that to enforce a rigid standard of prices applicable to wholesale firms in the big cities savours of monopoly. Reasonable addition for profit beyond wholesale prices should be allowed to local traders. The resolution adds that there are many inconveniences connected with dealing with firms at a distance—delays and difficulties of transit, difficulties in case of mistakes or urgent needs, difficulties of return of goods not up to sample, or otherwise objectionable.

REASONABLE WORKMEN.—Recently the employés of the Ennis Gas Company demanded special pay for Sunday work. The directors refused the demand on the ground that the present financial position of the company would not permit it. A conference between the directors and the employés' representatives followed, the result being that the men have agreed to continue working at their old rate of pay until the company becomes more prosperous.

NENAGH BARLEY MARKET.—There has been brisk buying of barley in Nenagh during the past week, although the quality from many districts is very poor. The price for average quality is 18s. 6d. to 19s. 6d., and 20s. for good quality. At a meeting of the North Tipperary Farmers' Executive it was decided to ask the National Executive to endeavour to secure a tariff on foreign barley. Five shillings a barrel was suggested.

STORM IN SOUTH TIPPERARY.—A severe storm visited South Tipperary on Saturday night, says our Correspondent. The wind blew with great violence from the South, and was accompanied by torrential rain. Trees were blown down in many parts of the country, and there is extensive flooding in low-lying lands.

A WORN EXCUSE.—The magistrate at Carrick-on-Suir, in fining a publican for selling drink during prohibited hours on a Sunday, said that the old and worn excuse that the three men found on the premises were invited guests did not carry any weight with him.

FERMOY POSTAL SERVICE.—In consequence of the complaint made recently by the Fermoy Urban Council in respect of the delay in the delivery of letters, intimation has been received stating that the second town delivery will be resumed.

ULSTER.

CAVAN LITERARY SOCIETY.—Cavan Literary Society's fourth session was opened on Friday evening. There was a large attendance. Professor Alphonsus O'Farrelly, of the Royal College of Science, Dublin, delivered the inaugural address on "The Romance of Science." A programme of lectures has been arranged for the new session.

Free State soldiers have vacated the Earl of Ypres's seat, Hollybrook, Co. Sligo, after an occupation of several months.

The cost of the Clare County Board of Health and the various institutions under its control has been estimated, approximately, at £60,000.

Lord Inchiquin, Dromoland Castle, has been awarded £20 compensation at Ennis for the driving of twenty-two cattle off his land at Lemenagh.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

LIGHTNING STRIKE.—A strike, which lasted just two and a half hours, took place at the Liverpool shed, Belfast, on Saturday morning, following the arrival of the Patriotic. Forty labourers and checkers and eighty-five "spell" men ceased work at 8 a.m. over a grievance regarding pay for shipping cattle. Negotiations were opened, and these had a satisfactory result. The men resumed work again at 10.30 o'clock.

INVALID OBJECTIONS. — Six hundred claims to votes in South Tyrone are affected by the registration officer's decision that Nationalist objections are bad, owing to a vital omission in the form.

NEW MAGISTRATES.—Messrs. J. A. Dickey, Gilford; Archibald Magill, Gilford; and W. J. Bell, Bellville, Banbridge, have been sworn in as Justices of the Peace.

DRUNKEN TAXI-DRIVER.—In the Belfast Custody Court on Saturday, John Donnelly, Melrose street, Lisburn road, was fined £10, and had his licence endorsed, for recklessly driving his motor taxicab and also for being drunk while in charge of the vehicle. The defendant denied both charges.

ULSTER SAVINGS CERTIFICATES.—Sales of Ulster Savings Certificates during the week ended October 13, 1923, were 25,653. The total number of certificates sold since April, 1922, is 1,492,540. A total sum of £932,837 has been invested.

The Rev. H. Macmanaway has received presentations from the united parishes of Ballygawley and Errigle Kerrogue, on his appointment as rector of Enniskillen parish.

STAGE, SCREEN, AND PLATFORM.

SECOND WEEK OF GRAND OPERA.

The Royal Carl Rosa Opera Company's second week's programme at the Gaiety Theatre is as follows: — To-night, "Lohengrin"; to-morrow, "Carmen"; Wednesday, "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "Pagliacci"; Thursday, "Tales of Hoffman"; Friday, "Aida"; Saturday matinée, "Tannhäuser"; Saturday evening, "Maritana."

The operas commence at half-past seven o'clock sharp, not a quarter to eight, as is usual at the Gaiety Theatre, and the company has made a special request to all patrons to be seated by that hour.

Arthur Prince, the well-known ventriloquist, will pay another visit to the Theatre Royal. Others on the programme are Scott Saunders, vocalist; Rupert Ingalese and his flunkeys, in a drawingroom entertainment, supported by Angela Gray, pianiste; and Jack and Emily, vocalists and dancers.

Revue still holds sway at the Olympia Theatre, and "Fancy Fayre," a comedy in eight scenes, will be presented by a company which includes Tom Drew, the popular comedian; the Alhambra Dancing Girls, and Handby and Celiene, roller skaters.

The Bohemian musical trio is the principal "turn" on the Tivoli Theatre programme. Other entertainers are Molly McCarthy, comedienne; Will and Power, equilibrists; The Napiers, in dancing, singing and juggling.

"Arrah-Na-Pogue," the romantic Irish drama, will be performed at the Queen's Theatre.

PICTURE PALACES.

"The Flirt," a film based on Booth Tarkington's novel of the same name, will be shown at La Scala Theatre. It is a domestic drama.

"A Night of Romance" will be shown at the Carlton Cinema. It comprises a series of adventures in which Viola Dana takes the chief part.

"Darlin'," an amusing Irish picture, will be shown at the Princess Cinema, Rathmines, from to-day until Wednesday, and on Thursday until the end of the week "John Chilcote, M.P.," from K. C. Thurston's novel, will be the attraction.

"Her Husband's Trademark," the film to be shown at the Metropole Cinema, is a drama.

On Saturday afternoon, October 27th, Kneisler, the violinist, will play at the Theatre Royal. It is claimed that 10,000 people applauded him at the Albert Hall, London, recently. His programme at the Theatre Royal will be virtually the same as that given on that occasion.

Madame Bonfils will shortly give a pianoforte recital in Dublin.

NEW ZEALAND MAILS.

WELLINGTON, Saturday.

Important mail arrangements are in hand whereby New Zealand agents will be carried in steamers sailing to Vancouver and San Francisco for the purpose of sorting the mail on the voyage. This arrangement will permit correspondence to reach the cities and larger towns twenty-four hours ahead of the present time.—(Reuter.)

The funeral takes place to-day of Sir William Henry Turner, of Cramford, Weybridge, who died on Friday. He was a well-known London shipowner of the firm of Messrs. Turner, Brightman, and Co.

LA SCALA ORCHESTRAL CONCERTS.

The Sunday concerts at La Scala Theatre are steadily gaining ground as to programme and in the matter of attendance. Both were very good yesterday, so good as to hold great promise for the season. The orchestra, in particular, must be complimented upon the composers drawn upon and the approach to the works themselves.

It is easy to see weakness in performance, perforce curtailed, of such works as the Mozart "Symphony in C," but ought we not rather to rejoice in hearing so clear an account of it? The freshness and piquancy of Chaminade in "La Lisonjera," with its idyllic flute; the peculiar rich harmonies and exotic phrases of Coleridge-Taylor in the suite "Faust"; the sentimental "L'extasi" (Thorne), with fine string passages; and the romantic Schubert overture, "Rosamund," gave great scope to Mr. Moody.

Miss Lily Meagher sang Salome's song from Herodiade, "Il est doux, il est bon," to an excellent orchestral accompaniment with great sweetness and charm. It was pleasant, indeed, to note that Miss Meagher's voice has not lost its bloom in training. It remains sensitive and sweet at a pitch that in many sopranos becomes metallic and hard, even when brilliant.

It follows that Miss Meagher's ballad-singing has much beauty. A traditional air, "Down by the sally gardens," would be hard to beat for poise and pure, even tone, while the "Yellow-throated, mellow-noted Cuckoo" (Charles Wood) was delightfully transposed. Miss Meagher sang many songs to inevitable encores. "Dawn" and "A Fancy" may be picked out from these.

Mr. Ivor Foster, protesting he was not in form, yet sang with the cultured style and resource that always mark his singing. His ease and rhythmic control in "Sulla Poppa" were delightful. "The House of Happiness" and "Jane" a trifle he elevates to real poetry"—and "The Wheel-tapper's Song" (Wolseley Charles) left little to be desired in spite of Mr. Foster's foreboding.

Mr. Arthur Darley in violin *obligato* to Miss Meagher's lovely "Ave Maria" gave much the same sense as the singer of clean, true pitch and sensitive understanding. Miss Lucy Leenane, as before, was a careful and sympathetic accompanist.

THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS.

MONDAY.

9 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin (James Hill and Son); Ayrefield, Tallaght (S. R. Boothman); 7 Rathgar avenue, Rathgar (James Allen and Son).

TUESDAY.

143 Strand road, Merrion (Wm. Montgomery and Son); 29 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin (John H. Cox); Lough Eske Castle, Donegal (Sweeney and Hammond); Mart, Lusk (James J. Rooney and Co.); 3 Connaught terrace, Garville avenue, Rathgar (James H. North and Co.).

WEDNESDAY.

Clara, County Offaly (McGlynn and Hanlon); 4 Park Villas, Stillorgan Park (Hazley and Co.); 6 Upper Ormond quay, Dublin (Bennett and Son, Ltd.).

THURSDAY.

25 Brighton road, Rathgar (James Allen and Son); 64 Morehampton road, Donnybrook (James H. North and Co.); Moortown House, Kiltegan, Baltinglass, Co. Wicklow (Michael Anthony).

Major-General Lord Ruthven has been appointed General Officer Commanding the London District in succession to Major-General G. D. Jeffreys.

RUGBY.

NORTH OF IRELAND (12) V. MONKSTOWN (0).

Monkstown had North of Ireland as visitors to Sydney Parade on Saturday, and the Northerners, rather unexpectedly, came out winners by a goal, a dropped goal, and a try to nil.

Monkstown had a strong wind behind them in the first half, and McCaldin early on gave them a footing inside the visitors' 25 with a long kick. Several minutes' pressure ensued, but Stafford lost a favourable position by attempting to drop a goal and sending dead. A splendid dribble by the North forwards, led by Brand, carried the ball more than half the length of the field and over the home line, but Stafford saved by touching down. The visitors' forwards, by clever footwork, kept play for a while in the Monkstown half, but a fine movement by the home backs saw O'Brien running strongly, but he was taken down by Gardiner at the 25 line. Monkstown now pressed strongly, and McCaldin, after a splendid cut-through, sent Brett over; but the pass was forward. Ganly shortly afterwards intercepted at half-way, and raced up to McFarland, but in trying to swerve was knocked off his balance, and before he could recover, Jackson brought him down. O'Brien next had a good run, but after handing-off several opponents was grassed at the visitors' 25. A short invasion by the Northerners into Monkstown territory followed, and Hamilton had a short run on the left, but he was well taken down. Monkstown generally continued to have the better of matters up to the interval, but the defence of the visitors was very sound, and all attempts to break through failed.

North commenced the second half strongly, and, after Hamilton had failed to take a pass on the line, Atkinson got hold and put his side ahead by dropping a fine goal. Gardiner was next prominent with a couple of good runs, and he was responsible for A. Pollock crossing for a try, which McKeown easily converted. Monkstown should have reduced the lead in the next few minutes, following a well executed passing movement, in which Clarke, Ganly, Brett, E. Crawford and McCaldin took part; but the last-named, after crossing the line, lost the ball. North were soon back again, and Hamilton further increased their score by slipping over at the corner; but the kick at goal was charged down. E. Crawford and Owens took part in a great dribble, which brought the ball from beyond half-way up to the visitors' line, where McFarland, however, got hold and kicked to half-way. From this on the Monkstown forwards dominated the scrums, and the backs were constantly on the move; but nearly all attempts to get through or round the visitors' defence were frustrated by very keen marking. One score, at least, should have been obtained, however, as a result of a fine run by Ganly, but McCaldin failed to take his pass on the line.

The score gives a very misleading indication of the trend of the play, as the losers did more attacking, on the whole, than did the winners, and the result was brought about by the quickness of the North side to turn their opportunities to account, whereas Monkstown allowed them to go to waste.

It was a very fast game, with plenty of incident in it, but the high wind somewhat upset calculations where passing was concerned. Both sets of forwards showed up well in the loose rushes, but Monkstown were decidedly superior in the matter of getting the ball. While their backs passed well, the visitors were very fast on their men, and, tackling soundly throughout, broke up most movements.

For the winners, McFarland got plenty to do at full, and made no mistakes. The centres showed up well in an individual way, but neither wing man saw much of the ball. Gardiner was much the best of the backs, but, playing behind forwards who were beaten for possession, did not get too many chances. The pick of the forwards were Brand, Webb, Millar and King.

Neligan was quite sound at full for the losers. Ganly and Brett did best in the three-quarter line, and McCaldin played well, on the whole, at stand-off; but was not very sure with his hands. Clarke worked the scrums capitally, and opened up the game well. The most prominent forwards were Owens, E. Crawford, Mather and Rankin. Result:—

North of Ireland—2 goals (1 dropped), 1 try.
Monkstown—Nil.

Teams:—

Monkstown—J. B. Neligan; B. H. Brett, B. C. Stafford, J. B. Ganly, D. L. O'Brien; C. McCaldin, N. Clarke; H. A. Brittain, E. S. A. Crawford, R. D. Crawford, P. H. Owens, D. C. Pickeman, J. A. Mather, G. D. Rankin, W. H. Smith.

North of Ireland—B. A. T. McFarland; J. McKeown, F. Jackson, J. M. Atkinson, R. L. Hamilton; J. B. Gardiner, A. S. Pollock; T. N. Brand, R. King, W. V. Millar, R. P. McMullan, H. Pollock, C. T. Payne, G. Robinson, C. J. Webb.

Referee—Mr. J. J. Rowland.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY (18) V. WANDERERS (10).

No matter how badly Wanderers may be faring they always put up a great fight against Dublin University, and the meeting between the teams on Saturday proved no exception. Though the 'Varsity won rather easily by 6 tries (18 points) to 2 goals (10 points), the game was by no means as one-sided as the score would indicate.

Wanderers were the first to attack, a breakaway by the forwards, amongst whom Ackland, Cherry, and Potterton were prominent, bringing play inside the Trinity 25. Here Clinch pulled up and got in a good kick to touch beyond centre. An opening by Loubser found the 'Varsity backs in motion, but Cussen was well tackled by Saunderson before gaining much ground. Wilson pluckily saved when Crichton and Clinch were breaking away, and a few minutes later he got in a clever kick. Trinity quickly returned, and after Sheppard had got over, only to be whistled back, Thompson, from a free, tried for goal but sent short. Wanderers broke away from the next scrum, and J. C. Cherry had a good run. He beat Loubser and Sugden, but was overtaken and brought down by Steele. For some minutes Wanderers pressed. Then the game swung to the other end, where Steele had a great run, and looked all over a scorer when brought down by Williamson. A score, however, was only delayed a few minutes, as from the next scrum the 'Varsity backs got moving. The ball travelled along the right, and Cussen receiving flashed over for a try, which Crichton made a good, but futile, effort to convert. Trinity attacked immediately from the kick-out, and Cussen got another try at the corner after a spirited run, Crichton again failing to goal. Despite good work by Potterton, Cherry, and Ackland, Wanderers were kept under pressure, and Williamson had a busy time, but he tackled and kicked well. Another Trinity passing bout found Cussen again going at full speed, and though tackled by Williamson he managed to wriggle over for a try, which again went unconverted. Wanderers had a spell of attack after this, and J. C. Cherry and Rose had a short combined run, which, however, was stopped by Bingham at the Trinity 25. The 'Varsity returned, and just before the interval, Clinch scored from a scramble.

The second period opened in sensational fashion. Trinity at once had a round of passing, and the ball reaching Cussen the speedy winger beat the opposition and scored at the corner. Wanderers attacked from the kick-out, and Kennedy receiving tried a drop for goal. The ball fell short, but Wilson, following up, got possession and dived over for a try, which Kennedy converted. University got down in the ensuing play, and Nunns putting Cussen in possession, the latter dashed off at top speed, and, despite a plucky effort to tackle by Williamson, he went over for his fifth try. Nunns this time tried for goal, but sent wide. The play which followed was of an even nature. Then Wanderers gradually got down, and a nice movement between J. C. Cherry, Popp, and Rose found the latter scoring between the posts, for Kennedy to convert. Encouraged by their success, Wanderers maintained a strong pressure, and Wilson had a clever run. Saunderson, too, was prominent, and the home lot were now working hard for a score. Stuart was conspicuous in the Trinity pack, and by clever footwork brought play to centre. Then a mis-kick by Kennedy let Steele away, but Wilson saved with a good tackle. Wanderers quickly returned, and Saunderson had a strong run. The home side continued on the aggressive, but the 'Varsity defence remained sound.

It was quite a good game, played at a fast pace, and always interesting to watch. The 'Varsity deserved to win, but, as mentioned above, their superiority was by no means as pronounced as the score would lead one to believe. Their chief pull lay behind the scrums, but forward there was really little in it, the Wanderers' pack, if anything, more than holding their own. The outstanding player on the field was Cussen. He was at the top of his form, and his five tries were all cleverly obtained. Steele, on the other wing, also did a lot of good work, running strongly and tackling well. The centres were only moderate. Both half backs performed well, while forward none were better than Stuart, Thompson, Crichton, and Sheppard. Bingham made no mistake, but he had quite an easy time as compared to his vis-a-vis, Williamson. The latter played in brilliant fashion, his tackling and kicking being superb. Wilson and Poff were the best of the three-quarter line. Saunderson played a great game at the base of the scrum, and was well partnered by Rose. The forwards, all hard workers, were best represented by Cherry, Potterton, Ackland, and Johnston. Result:—

Dublin University...... 6 tries (18 pts.)
Wanderers .... 2 goals (10 pts.)

Teams:—

Wanderers—F. W. Williamson; M. Wilson, J. C. Cherry, F. Poff, D. Kennedy; L. Saunderson, H. J. Rose; C. H. Ackland, T. E. Beckett, R. T. Cherry, A. J. England, J. M. Johnston, H. W. Potterton, F. C. Tucker, D. T. Young.

Dublin University—E. W. Bingham; D. Cussen, T. J. Millin, M. Sugden, J. F. Steele; C. Nunns, J. Loubser; D. Chance, J. W. Clinch, R. Y. Crichton, R. H. Dowse, J. du Toit, J. M. Sheppard, T. M. Stuart, J. K. S. Thompson.

Referee—Mr. C. P. Stuart.

LANSDOWNE (6) V. CLONTARF (5).

A strong east wind, which blew across the ground at Castle avenue on Saturday, and increased in intensity as the game progressed, interfered with back play, and, in a match which was mainly of the forward rushing order, Lansdowne left off winners by a single point in the scores of a penalty goal and a try to a goal. Lansdowne took the field as selected, but the home side had to call on five substitutes.

Lansdowne, playing against the hill, attacked at the outset, but sent the ball dead. Clontarf then invaded, but Crawford sent them back, and a long spell of scrambling forward work ensued. After a quarter of an hour's play Clontarf were penalised, and Crawford opened the scoring by landing a fine goal. Good kicks by Hopkins and Freeman took play to the visitors' 25, but Cunningham relieved with a good touch kick. Lansdowne attacked, and from a scrum near the home line Randel gave to Cunningham, who wriggled his way over for a clever try, which Crawford just sent wide. Nowlan put in a long, dodging run for Clontarf, and kicked ahead, but a certain score was lost through O'Connell knocking on, and next Nowlan just missed bringing off a penalty, and the interval arrived with Lansdowne leading by 6 points clear.

Clontarf, though now facing the hill, did much better in the second period. McFerran, who had got his ankle twisted, did not resume, his place in the Lansdowne left wing being taken by Godfrey. The latter had a couple of good bursts for the line, but got held up, and Hopkins and Nowlan helped Clontarf to invade. Godfrey and Nowlan cleared, and Lansdowne rushed down, but Freeman put in a great run to the Lansdowne 25. Brady retired hurt, and the sides were now, level numerically. McGrath put in a run, and passed to Nowlan, who ran and kicked ahead, to follow up and get the touch at the pavilion corner, and then converted from near the touch line. Towards the end Crawford just missed a penalty from an easy position, and a robust forward game ended in favour of the visitors by the narrowest margin.

Crawford was cool and sound, as usual, at back for the winners. Dunlop and McFerran (till hurt) were the best of the three-quarters, and Godfrey did very well on the wing when taken out of the pack. Cunningham and Randel were clever at half, and the best of the forwards were Pike, Brown, and Pettigrew. Montgomery played well at back for Clontarf; Nowlan and Freeman were the best of the three-quarters, Hopkins clever at out-half, and McMahon, Quinn, E. Roche, and Bradley the pick of the forwards. Result:—

Lansdowne—1 penalty goal 1 try (6 points).
Clontarf—1 goal (5 points).

Clontarf—J. C. Montgomery; J. Lee, N. T. O'Connell, W. L. Freeman, G. S. Nowlan; J. H. Hopkins, P. McGrath; J. S. Brady, W. Lyons, M. J. McMahon, J. Quinn, E. Roche, J. J. Roche, H. G. Walshe, W. G. Bradley.

Lansdowne—W. E. Crawford; T. Harris, D. Robertson, F. Dunlop, W. McFerran; W. Cunningham, P. Randel; W. Brown, E. B. Godfrey, J. McEnery, J. Pettigrew, T. Pike, T. Travers, F. Thompson, P. Whitty.

Referee—Mr. Exshaw.

BECTIVE RANGERS (12) V. BLACKROCK COLLEGE (8).

A strong breeze prevented the football at Donnybrook on Saturday from being of a high standard. The meeting between Bective and Blackrock is always productive of keenness, and Saturday's game showed no falling off in this respect. Bective won by a goal, a dropped goal, and a try to a goal and a try, but Blackrock kept their end up gamely, and if they had used all their chances in the first half they might have piled up a total which Bective would find it very hard to pass in the second period. There were changes on each side, most of the absent ones being on the easy list after injuries.

Blackrock won the toss, and elected to play with the wind. They attacked vigorously, and Rose was kept busy kicking into touch. Then the forwards dominated the game, and scrum followed scrum, with a line out now and then for a change. McMullan got a nice cut through, and looked like scoring, but he was taken by Atkins. Winters had a shot for the line, but W. Collopy came to the rescue with a kick to touch. Bective forwards now got busy, and brought the ball down to the Rock 25, where Powell got possession and passed to O'Meara, who went over for an unconverted try. A miskick by Atkins gave the visitors their first score. Finn secured the ball, and eluded five or six opponents before sending out to White, the latter scoring a try. James converted with a nicely-judged kick. Shortly afterwards Moriarty ran from half-way to score Blackrock's second try, which was unconverted.

Nothing daunted by having the wind against them, Rock went into it with great dash at the beginning of the second period, and they kept Bective in their own 25 for the first ten minutes. At this stage Meldon received an injury to his collar-bone and had to retire. After this loss the Bective forwards awoke to the possibilities of the situation, and gradually worked their way up to the Rock line. Finally O'Meara succeeded in scoring another try, which Atkins converted. Fagan secured the winning score for Bective by dropping a neat goal.

Rose was faulty in his fielding and tackling for Bective. The three-quarters did not combine well together, but they all tackled well. O'Meara and Atkins were the best of them. Meldon was good while he was there, and Arigho worked the scrums cleverly. The forwards were very slow, and never seemed properly to settle down. W. Collopy, Powell, Egan, and Fagan were most prominent.

For Blackrock, O'Regan was indifferent at full back. The three-quarter line was fast, but, like Bective, they played like four separate entities, and not as a combination. Moriarty and Winters did well individually. McMullan was quick and nippy behind the scrums, but "muffed" passes now and then. The forwards were exceedingly fast, and they followed up and marked splendidly. Finn was head and shoulders above the rest, and he stood out as the best player on the field. Sullivan supported him ably, and Brown and Gleeson were good. Result:—

Bective Rangers—2 goals (1 dropped) 1 try (12 points).
Blackrock College—1 goal 1 try (8 points).

Teams:—

Bective Rangers—Rose; Atkins, O'Meara, Gibson, Stanley; Meldon, Arigho; J. Egan, W. Collopy, R. Collopy, Wade, Powell, Fagan, Egan, Ryan.

Blackrock—O'Regan; James, White, Moriarty, Winters; McMullan, Kelly; J. Gleeson, Coghlan, Keogh, Cogan, Finn, Sullivan, F. Lynch, Brown.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE (6) V. OLD WESLEY (6).

At Terenure on Saturday a fast match resulted in a draw, University College scoring a penalty goal and a try (6 points) to 2 tries (6 points).

There was a pretty strong cross-wind blowing, but otherwise the conditions were quite satisfactory. The game was a fast one throughout, and especially keen in the closing stages, when each side was looking for a final lead. Considering how well the College forwards got possession of the ball in the scrums, and the amount of combined work put in by the backs, the result was hardly as remunerative as might have been expected, for the Wesley lines were crossed but once, as against the two tries secured by the visitors, and the other three points that made the draw came from a penalty goal. Still the side was always a dangerous one. Russell and Hogan were the pick of a small three-quarter line, Davy was very good at out half, and Eardly kicked well at back; while Spain, Piggott, Courtney and Cullen worked hard in the pack.

Old Wesley, beaten largely for possession, still defended so capably and played so well together, that they all but secured the verdict. Kapp played a very sound game at full back, kicking and tackling well. Eagleson, who filled Wangle's place on the wing, was very useful, and the line defended well. At half-back Holland and Malan were both good; and Clegg, Gray, Love and May were noticeable in a hard-working pack.

The opening score fell to Old Wesley within two or three minutes of the start. College had opened with a loose rush, and some handling at the Wesley 25, but under a sharp defence the handling broke down, and in a loose rush Old Wesley forwards came away. Love winding up by kicking across the line and racing over for a capital try, but the kick at goal failed. College were quickly again on the attack, and Davy had a free kick at goal, but just failed with a grand shot. A further attack with smart handling by the College backs was pulled up short of the line, but a penalty free let Davy kick a capital goal. Then Old Wesley again took the lead, Malan, from a scrum in mid-field, throwing out to Eagleson, who sprinted along the touch-line, and, passing Silke, went round for a try behind the posts, but the kick was charged down. The College backs were very busy after this, and after an effort on the left wing had been nipped by Massey and Latimer, the ball was sent along to Silke, who made a great dash for the line, but was taken down by Kapp, and after some further play the interval was reached, with Old Wesley leading by three points.

Early in the second period a good run by Eagleson set his side attacking, but Davy, presently intercepting a passing effort, kicked down smartly, and in a loose dash O'Donovan got over for a good try. The kick was from in front of the posts, but Davy failed badly. A little later Eagleson, with a fine run, seemed to have a good chance of scoring for Old Wesley, but he cross-kicked nearing the line, and Russell saved finely. A College attack at the other end resulted only in the ball being sent dead, and, though the play was desperately keen in the last few minutes, there was no further score. Result:—

University College—1 penalty goal 1 try (6 points).
Old Wesley—2 tries (6 points).

Teams:—

University College—J. Eardley; F. Russell, S. Hogan, — O'Donovan, J. Silke; P. McGowan, E. Davy; P. Brosnan, A. Courtney, J. Cullen, — Liddy, M. Piggott, — Mathews, A. Spain, — Winters.

Old Wesley—H. F. Kapp; H. J. Eagleson, H. C. Deane, E. W. Massey, W. A. Latimer; E. O. Holland, D. J. Malan; R. D. Gray, G. W. Clegg, D. S. Alley, G. T. May, A. Love, G. G. Alexander, S. A. Harris, G. Walmsley.

Referee—Mr. R. Donnelly.

PALMERSTON (11) V. MALONE (5).

Malone paid their first visit of the season to Dublin on Saturday, Palmerston defeating them at Milltown by a goal and 2 tries to a goal.

Malone were a useful side forward, but their backs appeared selfish, and were moderate. There was only one score in the first half, Mr. Miles awarding Haine a try for undoubted obstruction by Patterson. The visitors' forwards were going great guns in the second half, but their backs made a mess of things at half-way, and Haine, picking up, swerved round Patterson, to score behind the posts, and V. Kirwan converted. Irwin next finished off a Malone forward rush by scoring, and McLarnon goaled. Haine wound up the scoring by crossing the line, but no goal resulted. The best of the winners were V. Kirwan, Haine, Stephens, and Jolley (backs), and Hill, S. Kirwan, Kerr, and Haslett (forwards). Malone were best represented by Patterson, Majury, and Hill (backs), and Henry, Graham, Irwin, and Firhirst (forwards). Result:—

Palmerston—1 goal 2 tries (11 points).
Malone—1 goal (5 points).

Teams:—

Palmerston—V. Kirwan; J. H. Smith, R. D. Stephens, J. Armstrong, F. Haine; W. Jolley, B. Byrne; C. M. Hill, W. J. Haslett, W. F. Harkness, S. Kirwan, J. E. Kerr, W. Ruddell, W. R. Van der Kiste, G. Bean.

Malone—T. Patterson; J. Maradie, J. A. Cresswell, R. B. Wellwood, J. Majury; V. Sunning, T. McGuffin; M. Henry, W. Graham, H. Firhirst, J. Stafford, M. McLarnon, W. Spillon, W. Griffiths, T. P. Irwin.

Referee—Mr. J. H. Miles.

ULSTER SENIOR LEAGUE.

It was thought by many that after their decisive defeat of North of Ireland a week ago, Instonians would prove almost invincible. On Saturday, however, they were beaten by Collegians by a goal to a try. The game, which was played on Instonians' ground, opened in a remarkable manner, Grant scoring for Collegians in the first two minutes, and Gillespie converting. There was no further scoring up to the interval, but in the second half M'Clenahan made an opening for Fullerton, who scrambled over. The match was largely between the forwards, and in this department Collegians had the advantage in weight, skill, and energy. Their backs, too, were, on the whole, better than those on the other side.

St. Columba's College v. Palmerston 3rd.—This match resulted in a win for St. Columba's College by 29 points to 3.

OTHER RESULTS.

	Points.		Points.
Univ. College 2nd	22	Clontarf 2nd	0
Dublin Univ. 2nd	16	Lansdowne 2nd	9
College of Science	w.o.	Coll. of Surgeons	scr.
St. Andrew's Coll.	6	Clontarf 3rd	5
Lansdowne 3rd	16	Palmerston 3rd	3
Wanderers 2nd	20	Civil Service 3rd	5
Masonic Sch. (S.C.T.)	28	King's Hospital	3

ULSTER JUNIOR LEAGUE.

Donaghadee	3	Cooke	0
Instonians 2nd	8	Queen's Univ. 2nd	3
Sydenham	6	Carrick	0
N.I.F.C. 2nd	6	Y.M.C.A.	5
Ballymena	3	Larne 2nd	0

ULSTER MINOR LEAGUE.

Carrick 2nd	0	C.P.A. 2nd	0
Queen's Univ. 3rd	10	Instonians 3rd	3
Clarence	8	Bangor 3rd	5
Collegians 3rd	18	Larne 3rd	0
N.I.F.C. 3rd	8	Malone 3rd	3
Lurgan 2nd	3	Whitehead	0
Ophir	8	Queen's Island 2nd	8

FRIENDLIES.

Knock	27	Dungannon	6
Queen's University	21	Larne	3
Bangor	22	Armagh	3

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS.

RUGBY UNION.

	Points.		Points.
London Scottish	0	Blackheath	5
St. Bart's Hospital	24	London Irish	0
Rosslyn Park	14	St. Thomas' Hospital	3
Oxford University	14	Old Merchant Taylors	6
Bath	3	Cross Keys	3
Bradford	11	Birkenhead Park	3
Leicester	7	Newport	5
Northampton	11	Rugby	5
Devonport Services	14	U. Ser. (Portsmouth)	9
Bridgwater	8	Plymouth Albion	3
Royal High School	42	Edinburgh Acads.	0
Glasgow Academicals	41	Edinburgh University	3
Old Blues	17	Old Alleynians	3
Moseley	16	Cheltenham	6
Abertillery	8	Neath	6
Metropolitan Police	44	L.C.C.	0
Llanelly	12	Swansea	0
Aberavon	6	Pontypool	0
Coventry	16	Burton	0
Headingley	33	Leeds University	11
Streatham	8	London Welsh	8
Bristol	10	Guy's Hospital	6
Harlequins	29	Cambridge University	12
Cardiff	8	Gloucester	8
Richmond	24	R.M.C.	6
Hartlepool Rovers	41	Sunderland	3

NORTHERN UNION.

Wigan	35	Rochdale Hornets	0
St. Helen's Rec.	21	Salford	0
Dewsbury	19	Hull	6
Barrow	8	Swinton	3
St. Helen's	7	Broughton Rangers	2
Halifax	18	Warrington	0
Huddersfield	11	Hunslet	6
Hull Kingston R.	11	Bradford Northern	5
Wigan Highfield	17	Leigh	7
Keighley	15	Featherstone Rovers	0
Leeds	7	Oldham	3
Batley	7	Wakefield Trinity	3
Widnes	27	Bramley	3

HOCKEY.

LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE.

The Leinster League advanced another stage on Saturday, when, in the Senior Division, Three Rock Rovers, Dublin University, Railway Union, and Royal College of Science took points from Monkstown, Fairview C.Y.M.S., Rosemount, and Kingstown Grammar School respectively. That Trinity and Railway Union should win were foregone conclusions. The two other games were uncertainties, and in each it was the better play of the winning forwards that was the decisive factor. The Senior Table is now—

	P.	W.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Dublin University	2	2	0	14	2	4
Railway Union	2	2	0	12	1	4
Three Rock Rovers	2	2	0	9	1	4
Royal College of Science	2	2	0	5	0	4
Monkstown	2	0	2	2	6	0
Kingstown Grammar School	2	0	2	1	10	0
Fairview C.Y.M.S.	2	0	2	1	9	0
Rosemount	2	0	2	0	15	0

THREE ROCK ROVERS (4) v. MONKSTOWN (1).

A bumpy ground at Royal terrace, Kingstown, and a strong wind down the field, with Rovers in the opening half and against them and much fresher in the second, spoiled this match. Had Monkstown been able to take advantage of what it was to them they might at least have saved the game; but their forwards let them down all through, they being unable to make use of their opportunities. They missed badly, Robert Semmence and D. Rowlands, the latter whether a half-back or forward. They were, in fact, a non-scoring side, and it was their own fault that they were 2 scores behind at half-time. Rovers were throwing nothing away, and twice Mahony had got through when that stage was reached. In the concluding period the handicap the wind imposed on Rovers gave Monkstown a great chance, but all their attacking resulted in one score by Leitch from a scramble. Previous to that, however, Eager had scored a soft enough goal for Rovers, and before the close Mahoney had added a fourth in similar fashion. Rovers thus won easily, and deserved to do so. Monkstown need livening up. Teams:—

Three Rock Rovers—W. G. McCormick; G. Pilkington, C. Blair White; J. McConchy, W. Campbell, H. W. Strong; G. V. Boyd, R. J. Evans, J. Mahony, M. Eagar N. Medcalf.

Monkstown—G. Jermyn; G. M. Orr, J. Peterson; W. Morrison, J. Willis, G. Darcus; H. Wadsworth, E. Dormer, R. Semmence, R. Leech, R. Towers.

Umpires—Messrs. J. S. McMahon and D. J. Colter.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SCIENCE (2) v. KINGSTOWN GRAMMAR SCHOOL (0).

In this match at Tivoli terrace, Kingstown, Science had their first real test in senior hockey, and came out of it admirably by winning on their merits by 2-0. On their own ground Grammar School take a lot of beating, but Science was much the better side on Saturday, and in the first half—which was easily the better—they had the full measure of their opponents, and were well worth the two scores, the first by Lusk from close in and the next from a corner, Glanville shooting, the ball going in off Devlin's stick. The concluding half was very tame up to the last five minutes. Then Grammar School rallied, and put in some strong attacking, but to no purpose, and full time found their opponents pressing. There are great possibilities in Science, theirs being a well-balanced side, and there is no doubt their formation strengthens senior hockey in Leinster. Teams:—

Royal College of Science—N. McNeil; E. E. Spence, E. J. Odlum; G. Rooke, T. G. Webb, J. P. Pigot; L. Kelly, R. R. Glanville, A. E. McCormick, D. Lusk (captain), F. Paltridge.

Kingstown Grammar School—C. W. Gibson; G. C. Jenkin, Rev. E. Devlin; R. E. Felton, J. R. Marsden, E. S. Phillips; L'Estrange, A. F. Cook, W. C. Richie, G. W. Cook, E. A. McCormick.

Umpires—Messrs. J. S. Jackson and G. Richardson.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY (6) v. FAIRVIEW C.Y.M.S. (1).

Once the ground at Philipsburgh avenue has been worked up into good condition it will be an addition to our local grounds. At the moment it is very rough, and in consequence this match on Saturday suffered a good deal. Accuracy was almost impossible and the game throughout was mainly of the hit and rush order.

While they lost the points, Fairview shaped very well. With plenty of pace and excellent stick-work they are bound to come on very much playing in senior ranks, and if they can improve their ground the advance should be rapid. More at home on the rough ground they had all the better of the opening stages. A series of fast rushes kept the visitors on the defensive for quite some time, and with a little more quickness in the circle, Fairview might have scored twice early on. Thereafter Trinity began to assert themselves, but could not get through a resolute defence, and the half was twenty-five minutes' old before MacDonagh scored. From the ensuing bully he went right through and added a second. A spell of give and take followed, and then just on the interval the same player scored again, this time with a splendid reverse shot.

In the second half the visitors did most of the attacking, but found themselves faced by a solid defence, the full-backs being particularly good, and they only succeeded in getting through three times, MacDonagh (2) and Eyre. Though heavily in arrear Fairview never gave up. The forwards broke away whenever opportunity offered, and more than once only poor shooting spoiled quite promising attacks. Shortly before full time they went through, and a fast shot by O'Keeffe registered their only score. Teams:—

Fairview C.Y.M.S.—J. Murphy; W. Fitzgerald, F. Moran; P. Ryan, L. Ennis, P. Daly; G. Kavanagh, J. McDonnell, V. O'Keeffe, T. Waters, T. Mulraney.

Dublin University—R. A. Heatley; J. H. Tuke, C. Somerville-Large; E. T. Gahan, W. Connell, G. A. Spiller; J. M. Eyre, C. Hilliard, W. R. Aykroyd, W. P. MacDonagh, W. E. Acheson.

Umpire—Mr. F. Scales.

RAILWAY UNION (10) v. ROSEMOUNT (0)

Rosemount were expected to do better against Railway Union, but they failed to reproduce their game of the previous week, and the match resulted in a runaway win for the home team. Owing to the Rosemount ground not being fit for play the match was changed to Park avenue, and there was a good attendance when the teams took the field.

Right from the start Railway had the better of the exchanges, and when the visitors did get away their forward line was unable to make any impression on the defence. In attack also Railway Union were much too good, and five scores in each half gave them an easy win. The brothers Sully divided the goals, C. and V. each scoring four times, and H. twice. Teams:—

Railway Union—L. Ryan; K. Browner, J. Ryan; A. Black, W. Chiddick (capt.), J. Peatt; T. Browner, C. Sully, V. Sully, H. Sully, P. Gillespie.

Rosemount—C. Leopold; A. George, A. Gordon; A. C. Palk, J. Watson, W. Sutton; R. Richardson, A. Grey, H. Garrett, H. F. McDona, E. Ellis.

Umpires — Messrs. W. F. McDonnell and C. Bruton.

LISNAGARVEY (3) v. QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY (1).

There was only one match in the Ulster Senior League on Saturday,—that being between Lisnagarvey and Queen's University. In the first half Malcomson scored for Queen's and MacGregor for Lisnagarvey. The second half was vigorously contested, but the Lisburn men were the more aggressive lot, and accurate shooting on the part of MacGregor gave them two more goals. Result:—Lisnagarvey, 3 goals; Queen's University 1 goal.

RAILWAY UNION.—Selection Committee meeting to-night at 7.15 in the pavilion. Committee meeting at 8.0 p.m. All members are requested to attend.

OTHER RESULTS.

MIDDLE LEAGUE.

	Goals.		Goals.
Pembroke Wanderers	5	Dalkey	1
Y.M.C.A.	1	National Bank	0
Railway Union 2nd	3	Dublin Univ. 2nd	0

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE—A.

R.Coll. of Science 2nd	5	Kingstown G.S. 2nd	4
Pembroke Wand. 2nd	6	Enfield	1

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE—B.

C.I.T.C.	5	Three Rock Rov. 3rd	4
College of Surgeons	8	National Bank 2nd	0

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

Kingstown G.S. 3rd	6	Dalkey 3rd	2
Fairview C.Y.M.S. 2nd	4	Y.M.C.A. 2nd	2

ATHLETICS.

NORTHERN COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIPS

The seven miles walking and ten miles running championships and the hammer throwing championship of the Northern Counties were decided at Newton-le-Willows on Saturday. The walk was won by F. Smith (Lancashire) in 55 mins. 49 1-5 secs., beating C. Coulson (Sheffield United H.) by a dozen yards, with A. W. Barrett (Hallamshire) third.

The ten miles running championship was won by the English champion, E. Harper (Hallamshire H.) in 55mins. 8secs., Topping (Sutton H.) being second in 56mins. 45secs., with W. Malledy (St. Helens H.) third in 57 mins. 45 secs.

The hammer throwing championship went to the holder, D. Carroll (Manchester Dock Police) at 99 feet 1 inch, A. Reddick (Liverpool Police) being next with 83 feet 2 inches.

Harry Wood, of Fordel road, Catford, was fined 5s. at Greenwich County Court for putting on his hat while the judge, Sir Thomas Granger, was sitting.

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DUBLIN BEATS KILDARE.

BELFAST SCHOOLBOYS' GOOD DISPLAY.

For half an hour the Kildare footballers looked like beating Dublin at Croke Park yesterday. Playing with a brisk breeze, the "All Whites" reminded us for some considerable time of their predecessors who won the championship in 1919. Without the same finish, this recently organised team has the same methods which brought fame to Kildare in the great games against Kerry, Louth, Dublin, and Galway—the same unselfish spirit of passing, the same low, rapid movement in attack, the same grip and quick turn in process of delivery of a long sent ball. They are far, however, from being as good a side as the Kildare men who won the title, though they are a good team in the process of development, and need not be disappointed at the big score recorded against them by the All Ireland winners in the second half. Dublin won very easily in the end. Their long, consistent training and recent experience in matches with championships involved brought them through comfortably at the end of a strenuous hour.

Dublin was brisk in attack, and opened the scoring with a point. P. McDonald struggled up to race through the Kildare defence; he added a second point, and then came a Kildare attack of a very spirited nature. They worked over, but forced a free, and from a comfortable position Albert O'Neill kicked Kildare's first point. Showing considerable pace, and challenging Dublin's backs confidently, Kildare attacked. A long punt of Gannon's dropped in the area, and Farrell, rushing through, found the Dublin net. Kildare had a lead of two points as a result. Carey, Norris, and Reilly had a busy time against the breeze, but O'Toole's backs once more proved themselves very reliable. John Synott was not on the team, but his elder brother, Stephen, reappeared forward, and gave indication of a return to form, whilst Joseph was rarely seen to such advantage. O'Neill, Magan, and Buckley pressed hard for Kildare in the closing stages of the first half. Melia was another hard worker, but Dublin's steadiness was very evident in breaking up the visitors' movements. Reilly sent Dublin attacking, and a fine cross by Synott gave Connolly an opening. The Geraldine man kicked a good point through for Dublin, but O'Neill, from a free close in, neutralised for Kildare, who led by two points at the interval.

Kildare—1 goals 2 points.
Dublin—5 points.

For six minutes Dublin's efforts were nullified by Gannon, O'Neill, and Melia, who made a great effort to hold their lead. Connolly was the means of narrowing the gap with a quickly shot point, Dublin were settling down to better football by this time. Thirteen members of the O'Toole's, with McDonald (St. Mary's), Connolly (of Geraldines) formed the team, which demonstrated the advantage of experience and training when playing with the wind in the second half. From one of O'Reilly's long punts Rooney centred, and P. M'Donald fisted a goal through. The same player hit the cross-bar immediately, and the ball bounded back to Joseph Synott, who kicked right through the defence into the net.

This was the beginning of the Kildare defeat. Moving like a machine the home forwards, well served by a steady defence, opened a series of irresistible attacks on the Kildare lines. The Synott brothers were again brilliant, but the hero of the match, from a Dublin viewpoint, was Connolly, of Geraldines. He never made a mistake, fielded every ball resolutely and shot point after point over the Kildare bar with disconcerting regularity. Gannon, O'Neill, Magan and Melia, for Kildare, fought determinedly, but vainly, to restrain the tide. Dublin were all over their opponents to the end, and ran up a big score in the last ten minutes.

Dublin—2 goals 9 points (15 points).
Kildare—1 goal 3 points (6 points).

A team from the Antrim schools and colleges crossed camans with a strong Dublin under sixteen selection before the Dublin and Kildare game. The field was over-long for the boys, but a most interesting match was witnessed by a fair company. The Belfast boys were neither as heavy nor as experienced as their opponents. Nevertheless they put up a capital resistence. The Northern backs were particularly good. They hit out with great freedom and held up a very fast Dublin attack repeatedly, Macken being particularly good in goal for Belfast, whilst Duffin, Buckle and Thornberry, were dangerous in attack.

At half-time Dublin led by two goals to one point, and the second half resulted in doubling the respective scores.

Kavanagh, Lea and Barry were outstanding on a very useful well-trained Dublin side, and the standard of hurling was surprisingly good for schoolboys. The boys from the Northern schools have indications of being taught hurling on orthodox lines.

Dublin—4 goals.
Belfast—2 points.

A special meeting of the Central Council was held at 68 Upper O'Connell street on 19th inst., the President, Mr. D. MacCarthy, T.D., presiding. The following members of the Council were in attendance:—Messrs. B. C. Fay, V.P.; P. O. Farrell, V.P.; J. J. Keane, V.P.; P. McDonnell (Trustee), R. O'Keeffe (Leinster), T. Walsh (Leinster), F. McGrath (Munster), Colonel McGrath (Munster), C. Flynn (Connaught), T. Kenny (Connaught), P. McFadden (Ulster), T. E. Mulholland (Munster), General O'Duffy (Ulster), J. Gilheaney, proxy for J. McBride (Ulster); James Nowlan, hon. treasurer, and L. J. O'Toole, secretary.

Invitations having been issued by the Central Council to Galway, Sligo, Dublin and Tipperary County teams, for a Gold Medal Tournament in football. The following draws were made:—

Croke Park, November 11th—Dublin v. Sligo.
Croke Park, November 25th—Galway v. Tipperary.
Croke Park, December 9th—Winners of Dublin v. Sligo v. winners of Galway v. Tipperary. Mr. P. Dunphy to referee in all matches.

The following motion was unanimously adopted:—"That no collections, no matter for what object, literature of any kind, or music of any sort (outside the bands engaged by the Council) be permitted in Croke Park in future. That the secretary and manager be empowered to have removed from the grounds any person or persons found violating this order."

For the purpose of enabling the pick of the Army to take part in an open competition with the winners of the All-Ireland Championship in hurling and football, the secretary was instructed to arrange dates for the matches with the Army Athletic Association. Special trophies will be provided for both contests.

MUNSTER COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Munster Provincial Council was held in Tipperary last evening. Mr. Jeremiah O'Brien, Chairman, presided. The finals, Limerick v. Tipperary (senior hurling) and Tipperary v. Cork (junior hurling) were fixed for Cork on 11th November, with Messrs. P. O'Keeffe and T. Hayes respective referees. An appeal by Claughaun Hurling Club, Limerick, against a decision of the Limerick County Board was heard, and the Council upheld the ruling of the County Board. Messrs. Donal Kavanagh and Kelly appeared before the Council in connection with the fixing of the dates for the tournament on behalf of the Gaelic League. The Council decided to let the applicants have any date for the fixtures prior to or subsequent to the 11th November.

BILLIARDS.

STEVENSON v. INMAN.

The first week's play in the exhibition match at Leicester square, London, ended on Saturday with Stevenson 1,348 points in front. During the day the best breaks were 365 (from 190 unfinished), 117, 184, 110, 143, and 167 by Stevenson, while Inman made 139, 145, 188, 344, and 89. Closing scores:—Stevenson, 7,455; Inman, 6,107.

SMITH v. FALKINER.

At Birmingham on Saturday afternoon Smith and Falkiner both played steadily, Smith's chief breaks being 110, 84, 81, and 80 and Falkiner's 147, 123, and 103. At night Smith had breaks of 208, 81, 154, 75, and 76 (unfinished), Falkiner's best being 100, 109, and 244. Closing scores:—Smith (in play), 8,000; Falkiner, 7,338.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS.

At the annual stated meeting of the President and Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland, on Thursday, the following officers were elected for the coming year:—

President—Dr. Michael F. Cox. Vice-President—Sir William J. Thompson. Censors—Sir W. J. Thompson; Dr. W. J. Dargan, Dr. J. Speares, Dr. R. E. Tottenham. Additional Examiners, to take the place of an absent Censor or Examiner:—Medicine—Dr. G. Nesbitt. Midwifery—Dr. J. S. Sheill. Medical Jurisprudence and Hygiene—Dr. S. T. Gordon. Examiners for the Licence to practise Midwifery—Dr. Gibbon FitzGibbon and Dr. MacLaverty. Supplemental Examiners under the Conjoint Scheme:—Biology — Dr. G. Nesbitt. Chemistry—Dr. H. C. Earl. Physics—Dr. W. A. Winter. Pharmacy, Materia Medica, and Therapeutics—Dr. F. X. Callaghan. Physiology—Dr. Harold Pringle. Anatomy—Dr. H. C. Earl. Pathology—Dr. J. T. Wigham. Medicine—Dr. F. C. Purser. Examiners for the Conjoint Diploma in Public Health:—Hygiene—Dr. H. Bewley. Bacteriology—Dr. H. C. Earl. Sanitary Law and Vital Statistics—Sir William Thompson. Meteorology—Sir John Moore. Examiners for the Conjoint Preliminary Examination:—Languages—Mr. E. H. Alton, F.T.C.D. Irish—Mr. E. J. Gwynn, F.T.C.D. Examiners for the Membership:—Practice of Medicine—Dr. A. R. Parsons and Dr. J. Speares. Clinical Medicine—Dr. W. J. Dargan and Dr. J. A. Matson. Pathology, etc.—Dr. H. C. Earl and Dr. A. C. O'Sullivan. Obstetrics and Gynæcology—Dr. T. H. Wilson and Dr. Bethel Solomons. Representative on the General Medical Council—Sir John Moore. Representatives on the Committee of Management—Dr. Walter Smith, Sir John Moore, and Dr. T. Percy C. Kirkpatrick. Treasurer—Dr. Henry Bewley. Registrar—Dr. T. Percy C. Kirkpatrick. Librarian—Mr. R. Phelps. Law Agent—Messrs. Stephen Gordon, Son, and Wilson. Agents to the Trust Estate of Sir Patrick Dun—Messrs. Townshend.

The death is reported from Toronto of Mr. William Greenwood, brother of Sir Hamar Greenwood, and a prominent Canadian journalist.

THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

FUTURE EXAMINATIONS.

THE IRISH LANGUAGE.

The following is a preliminary statement of the lines on which the Free State Civil Service Commission intend to work in their future conduct of examinations:—

The Commission desire to announce that, in their conduct of future examinations for entrance into the Civil Service, they intend to work in co-operation with the Ministry of Education to this extent that—

(1) The ages for entrance into the Civil Service will, as far as possible, be regulated so as to fit in with the ages at which students ordinarily leave school; and

(2) The style and standard of examination papers will in all such cases be those of the school-leaving examinations.

During what is regarded as a period of reconstruction, it may be necessary to make provision for entrants of more mature age. Wherever it is necessary, the hitherto prevailing style and standard of examination papers will be adhered to as closely as possible, and will only be altered so far as it may be necessary to bring them into accord with conditions prevailing in this country.

In all examinations the subject of Irish will receive its due weight. Up to the present the standard of paper set in examinations in Irish under this Commission required a mere preliminary or junior student knowledge. This standard has been adopted in order not to penalise candidates who have not hitherto had sufficient opportunities for the study of Irish. Hence it should be noted that it is not a fixed standard, but will be raised gradually until it has reached the normal standard of difficulty in other subjects.

For entrants into the Civil Service in all examinations based on the style and standard of the examinations of the Ministry of Education, the standard of Irish will, of course, be that of the corresponding school examinations.

Where considered advisable, papers of questions will be set bi-lingually (as has already been done in the examination for Customs and Excise), so that the Irish-speaking candidate shall not be handicapped.

The Commission trust that this announcement will be generally noted, so that intending candidates for future examinations will take timely steps to equip themselves adequately for entrance into the Civil Service of Saorstat Eireann.

LORD LONDONDERRY

ASSISTS AT DEDICATION OF WAR MEMORIAL.

The Marquis of Londonderry crossed to England, *via* Larne and Stranraer, last Friday night, and took part in the dedication of a War Memorial Chapel to the Durham Light Infantry in Durham Cathedral on Saturday.

In the course of his address at the dedication ceremony Lord Londonderry said that but for the spirit of the British race the theory that might was right would for a season have dominated the world. The Durham Light Infantry took their full share in the fight for victory and gave the flower of their manhood in sacrifice. The significance of those sacrifices should sink deep into the hearts of all, and the reproach that they were made in vain was one which should never be allowed to have the smallest justification.

THE LATE MR. C. R. McDONNELL.

AN ACT OF BRAVERY RECALLED.

A corrrespondent writes:—It may be of interest to recall that the late Mr. C. R. A. McDonnell, whose sudden death was reported in the *Irish Times* of Thursday, in the year 1890 received the Royal Humane Society's bronze medal for bravery in saving life at sea. In the month of May of that year Mr. McDonnell, with three other officers of the Clare Artillery—namely, Captain O'Callaghan Westropp, Mr. Richard Stacpoole, and Mr. Robert Moreland—rented a small yacht for use in Cork Harbour. Curiously enough, they were all the eldest sons of county families, and two of them were only sons.

The four officers went for a sail on a squally afternoon. They were some distance from the shore when the yacht was thrown on its beam ends, the ballast shifted, and the mast went flat on the water. Messrs. McDonnell, Stacpoole, and Moreland struck out for the shore towards Currahinny, but Captain Westropp remained behind on the boat, believing that she would right herself. However, when she sank, he also struck out after the others, but, becoming exhausted in the strong ebb tide and very rough sea, he called for help. Mr. McDonnell, though wearing very thick clothes and heavy boots, turned back, and held up Captain Westropp until both were rescued by some boatmen. Mr. McDonnell, who refused to be taken into the boat until Captain Westropp was first in safety, was then so exhausted that he sank under the boat and was only saved with difficulty. For his brave act he was awarded the Royal Humane Society's medal.

MR. W. E. LILLY, D.SC., T.C.D.

At the Engineering School, Trinity College, Dublin, on Wednesday, the 17th inst., an address and presentation was made by some friends to Dr. Lilly on the occasion of his retirement from the staff of the School, on which he had served for more than thirty years.

Mr. William Tatlow occupied the chair, and in an opening speech expressed regret at Dr. Lilly's retirement from the active life of the School, and referred to the good work he had accomplished as a teacher and to his personal qualities as a colleague and friend.

The Rev. William Anderson read the address, a copy of which appears in another column, and which had been artistically illuminated by Miss McConnell, of Lincoln place.

Mr. J. T. Drennan recalled reminiscences of undergraduate days and of his association with Dr. Lilly in the management of the University Philosophical Society.

The Professor of Engineering referred to Dr. Lilly's association with the School and to the enhanced reputation which it had gained through his original work, which was well known and highly valued in the engineering world.

Mr. J. T. Jackson expressed the hope that Dr. Lilly would continue to work, and that the future might produce even more brilliant results than the past.

Mr. William Moore and others testified to Dr. Lilly's charm as a personal friend and expressed the general desire that he would find frequent opportunities to revisit Dublin.

Dr. Lilly returned his thanks to the many friends who had contributed to his happiness during his long residence in Dublin, and particularly to those who had come now to bid him good-bye and had expressed their goodwill in such a handsome and substantial form. He was genuinely sorry to leave them and very cordially reciprocated the hope expressed in the address with which he had been presented, that the future would allow him frequent opportunities to revisit Dublin.

AIR ROUTE TO INDIA.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Sunday.

Major-General Brancker, who is in Paris for the International Air Conference, visited yesterday the aviation camp at Orly, which has been chosen as a stopping place of the future airway, London-Cairo-India.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Canon Purdon, for sixty years a priest in the Catholic Church, died at Worthing on Saturday, aged 94.

A number of fat cattle grazing in Audley End Park, Saffron Walden, were poisoned on Saturday by eating the leaves of a yew tree.

During the recent storms on the West Coast of Norway large quantities of brisling (Norwegian sardine) were washed ashore.

A thirteen-year-old boy named Raymond Squire, of Bloxwich, Staffs, was killed while making some chemical experiments.

The body of Thomas Nicholson, parish clerk and sexton at Blyton, Lincs., was found on Saturday hanging in his washhouse.

The Independent Labour Party announces that it has nominated over 1,100 candidates for the forthcoming municipal elections in England.

Mrs. J. Entwistle Peel, of Elmdale road, Tyndall's Park, Bristol, was 102 on Saturday. Her mother lived to the age of 90, and some of her ancestors to an even greater age.

Captain Adrian Zeeder, of the American liner Manchuria, which arrived at Plymouth on Saturday from New York, is retiring after steaming nearly 3,000,000 miles.

Mrs. Ida Francis, a Plymouth widow, is said to have been the first woman to accomplish the trek of 400 miles across the waterless Kalahari desert of South Africa.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Brown, D.S.O., C.B.E., who joined the Army as a private in 1900, will succeed Lord Hampden in command of the East Midland Infantry Territorials.

THE VALUE OF ADVERTISING.—Advertising is estimated to have brought an increase of 200,000 visitors to Margate this year.

AIR PILOT KILLED.—Major Griffiths, a well-known air pilot, was killed at Whitley Aerodrome on Friday when his machine, after making a spinning nose dive, fell into a field.

OLD MAN KILLED BY MOTOR CAR.—A man named F. W. Handcock, aged about 70, of Langdale road, Hove, was knocked down and killed by a motor car on the Hove front yesterday evening.

COLLECTION OF POLISH TAXES.—According to a Reuter's Warsaw message the Polish Minister of Finance has tabled a bill in the Diet for the collection of taxes and fines in gold francs, calculated in Polish marks, at a rate to be fixed periodically.

£500 REWARD.—A Reuter's Melbourne telegram states that a Government reward of £500 is offered for the capture of Richard Buckley, in connection with the robbery with violence of about £2,000 from a bank manager at Glenferrie Railway Station on October 8.

COUNTESS TO STAND FOR PARLIAMENT.—The Countess of Warwick has accepted the invitation of the British Labour Party to become the Labour candidate for the Warwick and Leamington Division in the present by-election. The Liberals are still seeking a candidate.

WOMAN BOOKMAKER FINED. — Mrs. Ada Winter (42), of Kilburn, was fined £20 at Willesden for street betting. A policeman stated that he saw her receiving bets from women and children, and when he arrested her she had over 100 betting slips on her. She had been previously convicted.

SOLICITOR GIVEN PENAL SERVITUDE. — Francis Harris Lavicourt Dighton, 36, solicitor, and ex-Town Clerk of Thetford, was sentenced to three years' penal servitude at Norfolk Assizes on Saturday for fraudulently converting to his own use cheques and securities to the value of £3,157.

CANADIAN STUDENTS TO VISIT WEMBLEY.—A Reuter's Montreal message states that the Overseas Education League is arranging for University students to visit the British Empire Exhibition, at Wembley, next year. Canadian Universities approve of the visit. The students will leave Montreal in June in a special steamship.

SWEEPSTAKE PROMOTING CHARGE. — James Allen, of London, described as a retired Army officer, was remanded on bail at Nottingham on Saturday on a charge of promoting a sweepstake on the Manchester November Handicap. It was stated that tickets to the selling value of £30,000 were issued, with a first prize of £1,000.

£5,000 WAITING TO BE CLAIMED.—There is £5,000 waiting for someone at the offices of the Golden Ballot, Marble Arch. Ticket No. 118,790 has drawn the first prize, but efforts to find the holder of the ticket have been unsuccessful. (This is the first occasion on which a Golden Ballot winner has failed to claim his prize promptly.

PETROL FROM IRON.—Blast furnaces may soon be able to produce petrol. The President of the Staffordshire Iron and Steel Institute, Mr. E. Cook, predicts that in the near future the residuals of the blast furnace will be the primary object, and pig-iron will be considered the by-product. There was a wide field of opportunity in the direction of producing petrol or other motor spirit by this means.

ALLEGED ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. — Lady Dimsdale, widow of Sir John Dimsdale, Bart., was remanded by the Canterbury magistrates on Saturday on a charge of attempted suicide. A police constable stated that the accused, at 6.30 a.m. on Saturday, told him that she had tried to drown herself in the sea. Her clothing was saturated with sea water. Her late husband committed suicide at Whitstable in April last.

ONCE FAMOUS BREWERY SOLD.—Fox and Sons' Brewery, at Farnborough, Kent, has been bought by Mr. F. Warrington, a London iron and steel merchant. The brewery has been closed down during the past fifteen years owing to a family dispute in connection with the will of the founder of the firm. "Fox's Ales" was once a household expression in London and Kent.

Sir Walter Runciman and his son, Mr. Walter Runciman, are placing orders for new steamers with North-East Coast shipyards in advance of the programme of their firm. Work on the vessels will begin as soon as the boilermakers' dispute is settled. The ships are in addition to those already under construction on the Tyne to the order of Messrs. Runciman for their Moor Line.

BODY OF MAN ON CLIFFS.—The body of a man found on the cliffs at Beachy Head on Friday has been identified as that of W. C. Pursell, aged 58, a telegraph clerk, of Blagdon road, Lewisham. He left home on Sunday week, and failed to return. A farewell letter was found in his pocket, and it is surmised he had lain on the cliff all the week. The body was accidentally discovered by a visitor.

VALUABLE VIOLINS FOR AMERICA.—Two of the finest violins in the world have been acquired for America. One is the "Betts" Stradivarius and the other is a perfect Joseph Guarnerius, both being purchased by Mr. J. C. Freeman, manager for Wurlitzer's, of New York. Mr. Freeman, who has also taken with him to America 220 other violins of superior quality, purchased in Italy, France, and England.

THE LATE GENERAL COLLINS.

OIL PAINTING PRESENTED TO ST. BRICIN'S HOSPITAL.

Yesterday, in St. Bricin's Hospital, Dublin, Mrs. Collins O'Driscoll unveiled a large oil painting of her brother, the late General Collins, the gift of the Glasnevin branch of the Cumann na Saoirse. The artist was Mr. J. J. Connolly, of Clonskilty, a personal friend of General Collins, whose painting shows the late Commander-in-Chief in a characteristic attitude.

Commandant M. J. O'Connor, O.C. St. Bricin's, in the course of a brief speech, thanked the donors on behalf of the hospital staff for their much appreciated gift.

Among those who attended the ceremony were the hospital staff, the patients, the Collins band, and Mrs. Collins O'Driscoll, Mrs. Richard Mulcahy, Dr. Lyons, Mrs. Fallon, Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Lonergan, Miss Hickey, Miss Moynihan, Mr. Fallon, the Misses Fallon, and Master M. Collins O'Driscoll.

Norman Sumner, 29, suddenly collapsed while watching the football match between Oldham and Bury, at Oldham on Saturday. He died within a few minutes.

WILFUL MURDER.

VERDICT IN DUNSINK SHOOTING CASE.

STORY OF ARRESTS.

POLICE OFFICER'S EVIDENCE.

"We find that Thomas Fitzgerald died on the 19th instant from rupture of the heart, liver, and lung, caused by a bullet fired from a revolver by William Downes (wilful murder), and we commend Superintendent O'Driscoll, Inspector Mooney and Detective Officer Doran for their gallant conduct," was the verdict of a jury at the inquest at St. Vincent's Hospital, on Saturday, on Thomas Fitzgerald, C.I.D., who was shot on Friday afternoon near Dunsink, County Dublin.

Mr. John O'Byrne (instructed by Mr. M. A. Corrigan) represented the authorities.

William Downes, who has been arrested in connection with the affair, was in the room, wearing a trench coat, military gaiters and boots. He was hand-cuffed, and was in charge of a number of C.I.D. men from Oriel House.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH.

Dr. A. W. Courtney, house surgeon, St. Vincent's Hospital, stated that he first saw Thomas Fitzgerald, of Oriel House, on Friday evening. He was then dead, but the body was warm. He found that deceased had a bullet wound near the region of the heart. Afterwards made a *post-mortem* examination, and found that he had a bullet wound on the left breast. The left ventricle of his heart was completely lacerated. He found the bullet under the skin at the back. The second bullet penetrated the apex of his right lung, and made its exit at the back. The third bullet lacerated the liver, perforated the stomach, fractured the twelfth rib, and made its exit at about one inch to the right of the twelfth dorsal vertebræ. The fourth bullet entered the right lower abdomen, and lacerated the muscle.

Death, in his opinion, was instantaneous, and the cause of death was shock and hemorrhage, caused by rupture of the heart, liver and lung.

The doctor produced a bullet which he found, and said that two other bullets had passed through the body. The fourth bullet had not been found.

Answering the Coroner, he said that there was no singeing of either the body or the clothes, which showed that the bullets were fired from some distance.

Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, of Edmondton, Rathfarnham, identified the body as that of his son, aged 22, single, and a driver in Oriel House.

THE ARRESTS DESCRIBED.

Superintendent Finian O'Driscoll, Oriel House, examined by Mr. O'Byrne, stated that on the previous afternoon they got a telephone message from Messrs. Rathborne's candle factory, at Ashtown, stating that the premises had been robbed by three armed men. The witness, Inspector Mooney, Detective Officers Kirwin and O'Keeffe, and Captain Thomas Fitzgerald, the driver, went there in a Ford car. When they approached the factory they met some workmen who gave them certain information. They then drove along the road to Dunsink. They met two men, whom he interrogated, and left in charge of Detective Officers O'Keeffe and Kirwin.

As he and his party came near Dunsink he saw three cyclists riding in single file down a steep hill, with about 50 to 100 yards between them. They were going quickly. When the car got even with the first of the men it was pulled up, and the witness and Inspector Mooney jumped out. He told the nearest man to put up his hands. His bicycle partly fell, and the witness caught it, and the man put up his hands. "I gripped at his pocket," said the witness, "and felt a whole pocket full of money."

Mr. O'Byrne—Where was Inspector Mooney then?

Witness—He had gone back along the road to engage the other two men.

Did he say anything to you? He said, "Come on; these two fellows are escaping."

Did you see what was happening?—I did. One of them was cycling back up the hill and the other was trying to enter the field.

What did you do?—I handed the man to Fitzgerald and said, "That man has money; search him," and I dashed off after the other two.

At this time where were the other two men?—One was in the field and the other had got off his bicycle and went over the ditch.

Did you and Inspector Mooney chase them? Yes. We both went after them, firing as we ran.

Did they also fire?—Well, they must have fired some shots. The man that I was following ran parallel to the ditch, and I could not see him firing.

Did you hear some shots?—Oh, yes, certainly.

And ultimately did you and Mooney capture these two men?—Yes.

Continuing, the witness said that the place where they captured the two men was about 300 or 400 yards from where they had left the car with Fitzgerald. The witness heard four or five shots, and he left the two men in the custody of Inspector Mooney and ran back towards the car.

THE SCENE AT THE CAR.

Mr. O'Byrne—When you got back to the car what did you find?

Witness—The car had gone about twenty yards, as if he had attempted to turn it back in our direction. Fitzgerald was sitting in the driver's seat, and I said, "Tom, can you speak to me?" and he half-opened his eyes and smiled faintly and died in my arms.

How long was it from the time you came back until he died?—About twenty seconds.

Did you find anything in the car?—I found two empty parabellum cartridge cases in the back seat and the head of a bullet that was fired.

Was Fitzgerald armed?—He was, with a parabellum pistol (produced).

When he died where was the pistol?—It was just half-way out of his overcoat pocket, as if he attempted to pull it out.

Where were his hands?—They were hanging limp by his sides.

Did you examine Captain Fitzgerald's revolver?—Yes; there was no shot fired from it. It was loaded in all seven chambers.

You had Fitzgerald and the two prisoners conveyed to Dublin?—Yes.

Did you get a good opportunity of seeing the man you had left in charge of Fitzgerald? Yes; I looked right into his face.

Did you see him since?—Yes.

Do you see him now?—Yes (pointing to the prisoner).

What is his name?—William Downes.

Continuing, witness said that several officers were sent out from Oriel House, and the prisoner was brought there and the witness identified him.

The Coroner—Is there any question you would like to ask?

Prisoner—The late Mr. Fitzgerald fired two rounds out of his parabellum.

Asked by the Coroner if he wished to ask any question, the prisoner replied—"I don't want to ask any question at present."

THE ARREST OF DOWNES.

Detective Officer Peter Doran, Oriel House, stated that acting on instructions he and Detective Officer Pluck went to 4 Leitrim place at about 7.30 on Friday evening. They entered the house and ordered the occupants not to leave. At about 8.15 they heard some noise at the front door. The witness opened it and saw a man dressed in a trench coat, whom he did not then know, but who afterwards gave his name as Downes. The witness, who had a Webley in his hand, caught the man by the belt of the coat and pulled him into the hall and said, "You are Downes?" and he replied, "I am Downes; what about it? I am coming from Portobello Barracks." The witness took him further into the hall and shouted to Pluck, "I have him." He noticed Downes swinging his stick towards him. He called on him to put down the stick. He then put his hand towards his trench coat pocket. The witness grabbed his hand and hit him with the revolver on the head.

The witness put his hand into the man's pocket and pulled out a parabellum pistol (produced). There were three cartridges in the magazine and one in the breach, and the safety catch was off. It smelt of fresh powder, as if it had been recently used. A handkerchief in the man's pocket was wet, as if it had been dipped in water. When taken to Oriel House, Downes was searched, and a sum of £34 5s. 8d., three keys, a silver match box and two barrack passes were found on him. The prisoner was the man whom he arrested.

The Coroner—Had he authority to carry a weapon?

Witness—Not when off duty.

Did you make any inquiries about him at Portobello? I did; it is not known whether he was in Portobello Barracks at the time or not.

Mr. O'Byrne said that there was a great deal of further evidence, including that of Inspector Mooney, which he could produce; but he suggested to the jury that, in the interests of Downes himself, it might be better not to produce it there. All this evidence would be given in another place, where, perhaps, Downes would have a better opportunity of being defended.

The foreman said that they had sufficient evidence.

Mr. O'Byrne said that he would be only taking up time by addressing them, as the facts spoke for themselves.

CORONER'S ADDRESS.

The Coroner, addressing the jury, said that they had heard the evidence—an officer, in the discharge of his duty, murdered. It was not a case where there was doubt; the evidence brought forward was really very clear. What struck him was the courage of O'Driscoll, Mooney and Doran, and one or two others. They were all plucky, but these three men stood out by themselves. They proceeded to this place, and O'Driscoll, who arrested the first man, handed him over to poor Fitzgerald. O'Driscoll and Mooney then pursued the other two men, who were armed, and who fired shots at the two officers. The men were captured. When O'Driscoll returned to the car he found poor Fitzgerald dying. The doctor had given evidence of the wounds. The only thing that they had no evidence of was from the time O'Driscoll gave the man in custody to Fitzgerald until he returned to the car; but only a few minutes elapsed, and there was no one else about when O'Driscoll left the car, except Fitzgerald and the man, who was since identified as Downes. When they came back, Fitzgerald was dead. Downes had disappeared.

The Coroner then reviewed the evidence given as to the arrest of Downes and the identification of him by Superintendent O'Driscoll, and said that there was a clear sequence of evidence. There was no doubt whatever in the evidence, and if the jury were satisfied on that evidence there was only one thing for them to do. It was a very serious and important case. It was a terrible thing that a young man, of fine promise, should be cut off at a moment's notice, and sent before his God. He suggested a rider to the verdict, commending Superintendent O'Driscoll, Inspector Mooney and Detective Officer Doran for their plucky conduct. These three men did no seem to care what the consequences were, so long as they did their duty.

FINDING OF THE JURY.

The room was cleared, and after about five minutes the jury agreed to their verdict.

The Coroner—Do you agree to your verdict?

The Foreman—We find that Fitzgerald was shot by Downes, and the jury consider it wilful murder; and also, we commend the three officers.

A vote of condolence was passed to the relatives of the deceased man.

Mr. O'Byrne, in joining with the vote of sympathy, said that the entire action of Oriel House in connection with this occurrence reflected the greatest possible credit upon that force. He had made inquiries about Fitzgerald and was told that he was a splendid, fearless man, was an old I.R.A. captain during the "Black and Tan" *régime*, and defended Westland row station during two attacks. He was a total abstainer and non-smoker, and was deeply religious.

The Coroner asked if the whole 15 jurors had agreed to the verdict.

One of them said that he dissented.

The verdict was then signed by the fourteen jurors.

MINISTER'S MESSAGE.

Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, Minister for Home Affairs, has sent a letter to Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, father of the victim in Friday's shooting, expressing his heartfelt sympathy. He adds:—"He died bravely in the execution of his duty, doing one man's part to choke out of our national life a particularly mean and cowardly form of crime."

MAIL-CAR ROBBERY.

TWO SOLDIERS IN CUSTODY.

Some surprise was caused in Galway when it was learned that two soldiers of the National Army had been arrested in connection with the "hold up" of the mail-car a week ago at Ballinfoyle, when £1,000 were taken from the Galway-Shrule mail-car.

At a Special Court held before Mr. J. Faller, on Saturday afternoon, Sergeant-Major Houlihan, of the National Army, stationed at Tuam, and Corporal Michael M'Carthy, of Craughwell, were charged in connection with the affair.

Superintendent Byrne prosecuted, and Commandant Callanan was present on behalf of the military authorities.

Patrick Connelly, Prospect Hill, Galway, the mail-car driver, said that on the morning of the 5th October, at a quarter past three o'clock, at Ballinfoyle Cross Roads, he was stopped by three men. They ordered him to turn the car in the direction of Menlo, for about fifty yards, when they told him to get off the car and go up the road. He recognised one of the men as M'Carthy. He had known him before, having seen him in the County Club and in Curran's publichouse at Galway. He recognised the other man Houlihan by the light of a cigarette that the witness was smoking. He came very close to him, and looked into his face. He saw him before in Curran's publichouse.

To Superintendent Byrne—I could not possibly be mistaken in regard to the identity of the men. I knew them very well. I did not recognise the third man, as he kept a distance away. There were three mail bags on the car when I left Galway. When I arrived at Currandolla Post-office I found that the Currandolla bag had been tampered with. I then drove to Headford, where I handed over another bag, and the third at Shrule. They were also tampered with. The man Houlihan who held me up had a revolver and a flashlamp.

The accused were remanded to the Galway District Court on Monday, Commandant Callanan remarking that he hoped to establish a complete *alibi*.

CIVIL AVIATION.

FOUR SERVICES TO BE AMALGAMATED.

(FROM MAJOR W. T. BLAKE.)

An important announcement regarding the future of British civil aviation will probably be made by the Air Ministry this week. Negotiations have been in progress between Messrs. Handley Page Transport, the Instone Air Line, Daimler Hire, Limited, and the British Marine and Navigation Company, and the Air Ministry concerning the formation of a monopoly company, with a capital of £1,000,000, and a Government subsidy of £1,000,000 spread over ten years, as recommended by the Hambling Committee.

A scheme was submitted by Instones, and a second scheme jointly by the other three companies, for whom Mr. Holt Thomas has been acting. The parties could not reconcile their ideas, and, as the new scheme is due to start next spring, the Air Ministry had to find a way to combine the two schemes and all four services.

Meetings have taken place constantly during the past fortnight, and a compromise has been effected by which the four firms will amalgamate, the £1,000,000 capital being found by a combine of big outside firms. The present services will be continued and other routes opened, and an aeroplane service to India is contemplated.

WORK FOR BELFAST.

LINER TO BE CONVERTED INTO OIL BURNER.

The White Star liner Homeric arrived in Belfast Lough on Saturday morning from Southampton, and was berthed at the Thompson Wharf. This is the first visit of this big liner to Belfast, where she will be converted into an oil burner. This work will occupy about five months.

The Homeric is a vessel of 34,692 tons gross, and was built at Danzig. She was begun in 1913, and was completed after the war under the supervision of Messrs. Harland and Wolff after being acquired by the White Star Company.

Owing to the impending departure of the P. and O. liner Maloja, there has been during the past few days a somewhat extensive pay-off at Queen's Island, chiefly in the ships finishing department.

PROHIBITION IN UNITED STATES.

STATE GOVERNORS CONFER WITH PRESIDENT.

DRASTIC MEASURES TO ENFORCE "DRY" LAW.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Sunday.

Drastic measures to make the United States "dry" were decided upon by the Conference of State Governors called by President Coolidge to consider his prohibition enforcement plans.

Seven proposals for co-operation were adopted, after a very lengthy debate. Governor Smith, of New York, and Governor Richie, of Maryland, attacked the "dry" law, contending that the Volstead Act was an invasion of the rights of the States.

The chief points in President Coolidge's programme are co-ordination of Federal State forces with county and municipal forces, the Press of the country to be urged to support prohibition, conventions to be called in every State to discuss enforcement, district prosecutors of the various districts and States to meet conferences, and the adoption of all practical means to enforce respect for the law.

In his speech to the Governors, President Coolidge declared that the responsibility for the enforcement of the prohibition law rested on the States as well as upon the Federal Government. He declared that the States must use all their power to aid the Federal Government. The President made no reference to the recent attacks made upon the Administration, chiefly by Governor Pinchot, of Pennsylvania.

GENERAL OGLETHORPE.

AMERICAN PILGRIMAGE TO HIS GRAVE.

October 20, 1923.

Dr. Thornwell Jacobs, President of Oglethorpe University, of Atlanta, Georgia, bade farewell to England on Saturday. Members of the Oglethorpe family saw him off at Waterloo Station, and thanked him for retrieving the almost forgotten name of General Oglethorpe. They arranged to send him portraits of the founder of Georgia and copies of documents relating to his career in England and America. Dr. Jacobs said he hoped to return to London within a year, and a relative of General Oglethorpe offered to place his house at his disposal throughout his stay in England.

Before boarding the Mauretania, which will take him to New York, Dr. Jacobs said to Reuter's representative:—"I leave England with only the kindliest feelings. I have been the recipient of much kindness and hospitality.

"I feel that my mission to England has not been in vain. We have at least established definitely the exact resting place of General Oglethorpe, which a fortnight ago scarcely a man in England knew. We have made the founder of Georgia a world figure, not merely the First Citizen of the Southland of the United States.

"Every year hereafter, on the 1st of July, students from Oglethorpe University will make a pilgrimage from America to England to adorn his grave with laurel wreaths from the campus of the college named in his honour."

THE LATE MR. R. A. P. ROGERS, F., T.C.D.

FUNERAL TO MOUNT JEROME CEMETERY.

The funeral of the late Mr. Reginald A. P. Rogers, M.A., F., T.C.D., took place on Saturday to Mount Jerome Cemetery.

The chief mourners were:—

Mr. Leonard Rogers (son) and Sir John Moore, M.D. (father-in-law).

The attendance included:—

The Rev. A. A. Luce, F., T.C.D.; Professor W. B. Thrift, F., T.C.D.; Mr. H. Thrift, F., T.C.D.; Mr. E. H. Alton, F., T.C.D.; Mr. W. A. Goligher, F., T.C.D.; Mr. E. J. Gwynn, F., T.C.D.; Mr. Robert Russell, F., T.C.D.; Mr. M. W. Fry, F., T.C.D.; Mr. J. C. Purser, F., T.C.D.; Mr. G. L. Cathcart, F., T.C.D.; Sir Robert Tate, F., T.C.D.; Mr. A. C. O'Sullivan, F., T.C.D.; Mr. Joseph Johnston, F., T.C.D.; Mr. H. S. Macran, F., T.C.D.; Mr. J. M. Henry, F., T.C.D.; Mr. F. La T. Godfrey, F., T.C.D.; Mr. G. R. Webb, F., T.C.D.; Mr. H. Canning, F., T.C.D.; Mr. G. W. Mooney, F., T.C.D.; Rev. R. M. Gwynn, F., T.C.D.; Mr. John Fraser, F., T.C.D.; Mr. Charles H. Rowe, F., T.C.D.; Mr. William Kennedy, F., T.C.D.; Professor J. Bronté Gatenby, D.Phil., D.Sc.; Rev. Dr. W. R. Westropp Roberts, S.F., T.C.D.; Rev. Ernest H. Lewis-Crosby; Mr. Octavius Wallace, M.A.; Mr. R. R. Montserrat, Mr. J. J. Barnville, Mr. J. F. Jackson, Mr. W. Moore, Mr. Louis B. Smyth, Rev. H. J. Lawlor, D.D.; Mr. M. W. O'Reilly, Rev. Canon David Wilson, Sir Simon Maddock, Mr. Edmund Curtis, Rev. Dr. White, Mr. Walter Starkie, Mr. L. G. Allen, Mr. A. G. C. Millar, Mr. J. R. Cotter, Mr. J. J. Johnston, Mr. A. G. C. Ffoliott, Mr. E. T. S. Walton, Mr. E. S. Brown, M.A.; Professor Sydney Young; Mr. R. C. Merrick, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis, Dr. George Peirce Moore, and Mr. L. Merrick.

The funeral arrangements were in the hands of Mr. Alfred G. Waller, 48-50 Denzille street.

PULPIT REFERENCE.

Preaching in Trinity College yesterday before the University of Dublin the Rev. A. A. Luce, D.D., referred to the death of Mr. Rogers.

A sudden shadow, he said, has darkened the threshold of our College year. Reginald Arthur Percy Rogers has passed from our midst. Two and twenty years of his short life were spent in the service of this College. His personality was arresting. His friends will not forget him. He was slow of speech, profound in thought, an impulsive nature schooled into deliberation. His habitual gravity was tempered by dry wit and caustic humour; some thought him a cynic. He was not so. His cold, impassive manner cloaked a warm human heart.

Many talents were his. Science, languages, and literature laid claim to his interest. He had a keen appreciation of art in many forms. He made a special study of architectural art, and there were few of the English Cathedrals that he had not visited. His love of beauty was second only to his love of truth. He sought truth, as Plato directs, by the paths of mathematics and metaphysics. His mathematical ability received recognition here and in the wider world. His main achievement lay in the field of philosophy. His was the philosophic temperament. A tall figure, bowed with learning, he walked our courts a man apart, an Atlas freighted with the sense of the eternities.

Not that he held aloof from life. He was a student of affairs, and on questions of politics and civics he often addressed the public through the columns of the Press. In his younger days himself no mean athlete, he kept to the end his interest in the pastimes of the young. In fact, he found the panorama of human life of such absorbing interest, he needs must climb heights to see it whole. That humanism stamped his philosophy. Rogers loved the concrete. He moved easily in the world of abstractions; but he never took symbols very seriously. He excelled in formal logic, but logic was to him a hobby, a diversion of his leisure and his long country walks. His serious and sustained attention was given only to those concrete problems of philosophy of supreme moment to humanity. God, free-will, the soul, human right and wrong—in the circle of those high thoughts his spirit was at home. He belonged to no one school. He was both idealist and empiricist, as well as something of a mystic. Schiller, I believe, influenced him greatly: James and Bergson to a less extent. But he would never see truth through other people's eyes.

Two things he affirmed unswervingly—the reality of the psychic and the impossibility of explaining values in terms of matter. He was a humanist who saw beyond humanity. Of religious faith he ever spoke in terms of high respect. The Church of Ireland has lost a loyal member. Trinity College has lost a devoted and distinguished son. We mourn the loss, and, as we offer to his memory this tribute of affection and respect, we pray that God Almighty may comfort the stricken home.

At Hove on Saturday Mrs. Adelaide Smith was so seriously injured by a runaway motor car that she died shortly after admission to hospital.

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The Irish Times.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Speaking at Portadown on Saturday, Sir James Craig declared that there was peace in Northern Ireland, and that the person who would try to stir up ill-feelings would have "an awful responsibility."—(Page 9.)

President Cosgrave, at a meeting in support of Mr. Hugh Kennedy's candidature for South Dublin, yesterday denounced the hunger strike as a fraud, and said that the prisoners would remain in prison until life and property were as safe in the Free State as in any other country in the world.—(Page 7.)

A coroner's jury in Dublin on Saturday returned a verdict of wilful murder against William Downes, who is charged with shooting Thomas Fitzgerald, a policeman from Oriel House, during the arrest of Downes and two other men near Dunsink on Friday afternoon.—(Page 5.)

The ballot of Dublin dockers on the Government's terms for a settlement of the strike will be held at Liberty Hall to-day. The result will probably be made known to-morrow.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Prince of Wales arrived in London on Saturday after his holiday in Canada.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD

Drastic measures for the enforcement of prohibition in the United States have been decided on at the Conference of State Governors convened at Washington by President Coolidge.—(Page 5.)

Spain has decided to abandon the campaign in Morocco, which has been pursued by politicians for private ends.—(Page 8.)

Sixteen Sovereigns, or members of reigning families, including the Duke and Duchess of York, were present at the christening of the Crown Prince of Yugo-Slavia in Belgrade yesterday.—(Page 8.)

Mr. Thomas MacPartlin, a Free State Senator, died at Geneva, where he went to attend the International Labour Conference.—(Page 7.)

General Macready unveiled a Cross of Sacrifice at St. Omer yesterday, and accepted the charge of the British cemetery, containing 2,800 graves, on behalf of the Imperial War Graves Commission.—(Page 7.)

Bavaria is in "open rebellion" against Herr Stresemann and the Central Government.—(Page 7.)

The Rhineland Republic has been proclaimed at Aix-la-Chapelle.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

The Derby winner, Papyrus, was beaten by six lengths in New York by the American horse, Zev.—(Page 7.)

At Phoenix Park on Saturday Shy Warrior won the Nursery Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Lingfield Concertina won the Lingfield Autumn Oaks.—(Page 10.)

At Pontefract Amethystine won the Newby Nursery Handicap.—(Page 10.)

Berlin and Munich.

The news from Germany to-day is very ominous. A Rhenish Republic has been proclaimed at Aix-la-Chapelle, Bavaria is in a state of almost open rebellion, and the whole Reich seems to be on the verge of dissolution. The *coup* at Aix-la-Chapelle is comparatively a minor matter. It has been in preparation for several months and never would have been possible but for the benevolent attitude of the Belgian authorities. The "Republic" was proclaimed in the local *Rathaus* at four o'clock in the morning, at a time when all good Rhinelanders were in their beds. Some two thousand Separatists from various parts of the occupied territory, who were supplied with a plentiful stock of arms and munitions of war, seized the *Rathaus* and the other public buildings shortly after midnight, and the burgesses of Aix-la-Chapelle, who had gone to sleep as staunch supporters of the German Reich, awoke yesterday morning to find themselves reluctant citizens of a "Republic." Nobody is taking it very seriously. The movement is being led, apparently, by a local tradesman named Deckers, whom even the French do not seem to trust. He has been intriguing with Dorten and Smeets, neither of whom has been able to "get on" with him, and his performance at Aix-la-Chapelle seems to have been arranged, if not without their knowledge, at any rate without their connivance. The German police, of course, are powerless. Very wisely they have refrained from any action against the Separatists, who have established a "Provisional Government" and all the other paraphernalia of a new State. Unless the inhabitants of Aix-la-Chapelle take the law into their own hands, little more is likely to be heard of Herr Deckers. His "Republic" has no foundation in popular feeling.

Bavaria is an entirely different matter. Herr von Kahr's open defiance of Berlin has placed Herr Stresemann in an extremely awkward position; and, if the situation is not handled with the greatest delicacy, the defection of Bavaria from the Reich may occur almost at any moment. Friction between Munich and Berlin has been noticeable for many months, but matters were brought to a head recently when Bavaria appointed Herr von Kahr as dictator. The Berlin Government sent General von Lossow to Munich in order to check the activities of the Monarchists, of whom Herr von Kahr is an extreme representative; but, like the young lady of Riga, the general was unable to resist the wiles of the Bavarian tiger, and after a short stay in Munich began to out-Kahr von Kahr in his anti-Socialist ideas. He was recalled to Berlin by the Minister for War, but he ignored the summons. He then was dismissed, but refused to accept his dismissal. Finally, Herr von Kahr issued a proclamation in which he told the Berlin Government quite plainly that he would obey no orders which were not to his liking; and he burnt his boats completely by appointing General von Lossow commander-in-Chief of the Bavarian Division of the *Reichswehr*. The *Reichswehr*, as its name implies, is an "Imperial" force. Its members have taken an oath to the German Constitution, and the Minister for War in Berlin is its only chief. Herr von Kahr's action, therefore, is tantamount to open rebellion, and General von Seeckt, who is commander-in-chief of the *Reichswehr*, has called upon the Bavarian Division to obey its oath. The situation, obviously, is fraught with ugly possibilities. If the Berlin Government tries to compel Bavarian obedience by force, civil war may become inevitable. The only wise course, therefore, is the resumption of negotiations which were broken off recently. A German civil war would convulse Europe, and the cost of Germany's disintegration would be too great even for M. Poincaré to pay.

New papers.

Competition is good for trade in all sorts of business. In the newspaper business it is good for things that are even more important than trade. Thought is independent only among cultivated people, and the majority of people in this still imperfect world are not cultivated. They take their opinions, as a rule, from their newspapers; and, therefore, the man who controls a newspaper controls a body of public opinion, large or small as the case may be. If there are many newspapers, owned by as many individuals or companies, no harm is done; for their conflicts of opinion breed discussion and criticism, and from discussion and criticism the truth is likely to emerge. Dangers arise—or, at any rate, become probable—when a large number of newspapers or even a few newspapers with large circulations fall into the hands of a single individual. Then one voice, speaking through many channels, seems to be many voices, and its owner acquires a very great influence in public affairs. The elements of danger are these—that such a man may not be qualified by education or character to wield this great influence rightly, that his power, like all wide powers, is accompanied by many temptations, that it has vast opportunities for evil as well as for good, that it may be used impersonally and therefore is not restricted by the ever-present sense of responsibility which attaches to Prime Ministers and other public men. Hitherto what may be called the "trustification" of the Press has made headway chiefly in the United States. Mr. William Randolph Hearst is said to be the owner of a chain of sixty newspapers between New York and San Francisco. It is a matter of common agreement that the control of many newspapers by individuals or groups of individuals has not improved the tone of the American Press.

The accumulation of a large number of newspapers in a small number of hands has increased during recent years in Great Britain; but by far the biggest and most startling movement in this direction was made a few days ago. By this movement two peers, one an Irishman and the other a Canadian, now exercise authority over a whole army of morning, evening, Sunday and weekly newspapers in London and Manchester. Like other mortals, these noblemen may not prove to be infallible, and the important point is that by their administrative and financial gifts they have endowed themselves with powers which, perhaps, only the possession of infallibility could justify. Mankind's instincts are gregarious alike in action and in thought. What the psychologists call "mass suggestion" is a very potent instrument in politics. A newspaper can be made a vehicle of mass suggestion not only through its views, but through its news. A dozen newspapers controlled by one brain could exercise a truly formidable influence on popular opinion and, therefore, on national policies. It is not surprising that the latest development has caused anxiety in Fleet street, among the leaders of political parties, and in circles where freedom of thought is valued for its own sake. In a multitude of counsellors there is wisdom, and in a multitude of competitive newspapers there is at least a healthy conflict of opinion. Who would care to contemplate a Britain where all the newspapers were under the control of a single man or a single corporation? It is this vision, perhaps, which has moved the present proprietors of *The Times* to consider measures which will guarantee the perpetual independence of that great journal.

Papyrus and Zev.

The result of the race between Papyrus and Zev was a foregone conclusion in the view of those who understand horses and horse-racing. Fresh from a Transatlantic voyage in which the vessel carrying him encountered a hurricane, dumped into a strange climate and surrounded with strange noises, sights and smells, and finally required to run on an unfamiliar track, dry in parts and in others hock-deep in sloppy mud, Papyrus could no more show his true form than Zev could have shown it if the conditions had been reversed. Possibly it was in order to sustain betting interest in the race that all sorts of rumours were circulated. We were told, for instance, that Zev had gone lame and had "come out in spots" on the body, and that another horse might have to be substituted for the race. The fact that the odds at the start were only five to four on the American horse does more credit to the sporting instincts of the loser's backers than to their intelligence. The result does not even prove that Zev is a fast horse; for the Belmont course has been covered on many occasions in shorter time. His owner is now the holder of an international gold challenge cup for which other British horses must compete in the face of conditions nearly as prohibitive as those governing the America Cup that Sir Thomas Lipton has striven so valiantly to "lift." It would be easy enough, if it were worth the expense, to send over a team of young English or Irish horses and train them in America for six months before the race, but again the result would prove nothing. The thoroughbred horse has ancestry, but no nationality; and international sporting events ought to be confined to those contests in which human skill plays the major part.

The "Bristol" Hotels.

Yesterday the *Observer* published several letters dealing with the origin of the name "Bristol" that is borne by so many Continental hotels. The subject is of particular interest to Irishmen, for the eccentric fourth Earl of Bristol, from whom the name is derived, was a bishop of the Church of Ireland. The late Sir John Mahaffy accumulated a large store of information about this eccentric nobleman-prelate, and the late Cæsar Litton Falkiner, whose tragic death in the Alps robbed Ireland of one of her most gifted historians, wrote a very full and accurate account of his life. George Hervey, Bishop of Derry and fourth Earl of Bristol, flourished in the second half of the eighteenth century. He was given the Bishopric of Derry as a convenient means of livelihood. Then he inherited the earldom, and with it a large fortune, and at the age of fifty or thereabouts began to sow in a manner peculiar to himself the wild oats that are associated more traditionally with adolescence. His taste ran to display of the most elaborate character. He made his diocesan tours in a splendid coach drawn by six horses with outriders, and accompanied by a small army of caparisoned retainers. When he stopped at a hotel he insisted, whenever possible, on having the whole hostel to himself, and his magnificence and munificence readily found favour with the landlords. At this time he acquired a passion for travelling on the Continent, where he moved from place to place in the same princely style. It is not surprising that grateful *maîtres d'hôtel* called their caravanserais after him or that contemporary travellers regarded the name "Bristol" as synonymous with the last word in luxurious accommodation.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Duke and Duchess of York arrived in Belgrade last Saturday evening, and were met at the station by King Alexander of Serbia, Queen Marie of Rumania, and a number of the Serbian Court officials and members of the Government. Their Royal Highnesses will make only a brief stay in Belgrade, and will return to London at the end of this week. They will shortly go into residence at Old House, Guilsborough, which they have taken for the hunting season.

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The young Earl of Medina and his six year old sister, Lady Tatiana Mountbatten, children of the Marquis of Milford Haven, will be the train-bearers at the marriage of their aunt, Lady Louise Mountbatten, who will be attended by four bridesmaids, Princess Margaret, Princess Theodora, Princess Cecilia, and Princess Sophia, the daughters of her elder sister, Princess Andrew of Greece.

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The Prime Minister of England and Mrs. Baldwin entertained a party at Chequers for the week-end. Their guests included Mr. Bruce, Prime Minister of Australia, and Mrs. Bruce; Mr. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada; Lady Beatrice Ormsby-Gore, Mr. and Mrs. Neville Chamberlain, and Captain Sidney Herbert.

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The Aga Khan, who attended Newmarket Races last week, left London on Saturday for Paris. The Raj Kumar and the Kumari of Kapurthala, after a short stay in Paris, have started on their return journey to India. The Duchess of Leeds spent a few days in London last week, but has now returned to Hornby Castle, Yorkshire. The Earl of Ilchester has returned from Paris, and left London on Saturday for Melbury House, Dorchester. Lord Cozens-Hardy is back from Paris and is staying at Claridge's Hotel. Lord Weir returned from the United States last week, and left London on the following day for Eastwood Park, Renfrewshire. Count G. d'Ondes has arrived in London and has joined the Duke d'Isola at the Carlton Hotel.

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The Earl and Countess of Ossory arrived in Dublin last week on their way to Kilkenny Castle. Lord Justice O'Connor, who is staying in London at present, is about to give up his house in Dublin. Lady Walker has returned from paying visits in England and the South of Ireland, and will spend the winter at her residence in Leeson Park, Dublin. The Hon. Thomas G. Coventry, who left England for Canada seventeen years ago, is paying his first visit home, and is staying at Croome Court with his parents, the Earl and Countess of Coventry.

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To-morrow night the Pilgrims will give a farewell banquet in London in honour of Mr. George Harvey, who is resigning his appointment as Ambassador for the United States. Lord Desborough will preside, and the three hundred guests who are expected will include the Prime Minister and Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador to the United States.

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After January 1 it is proposed to treat insured persons as private patients.

GAIETY THEATRE.

"SAMSON AND DELILAH."

The performance by the Carl Rosa Opera Company on Saturday afternoon of "Samson and Delilah" was certainly the best that has been given in Dublin for very many years. There was scarcely a weak point in it, and a criticism becomes a series of tributes to orchestra, principals, and chorus. Although it was a fine Saturday afternoon, with the counter-attraction of a race meeting in Phœnix Park, the theatre was full.

The choral prologue was lost in the noise and talk of the late arrivals. Nearly half the people in the dress circle were from one to ten minutes late, but the doors of the auditorium were always open.

It has been noted before that the new Carl Rosa orchestra is taking the music a shade faster here and there than the speed to which we have been accustomed. This was very noticeable on Saturday in the Hebrew choruses and it made them more robust and convincing. Here we got the impression of a spirited people, temporarily under a cloud perhaps, but not submerged by the waters of despair. When, however, the atmosphere was sensuous the music "fitted" admirably.

As this is a "one-woman show," Delilah has to bear the burden of all the criticism, but the presentation on Saturday earns only praise. Miss Doris Woodall is a great Delilah in voice and manner. Mr. Ben. Williams was equally successful as Samson, though less convincing in his strength than in his weakness. Mr. Appleton Moore as the High Priest was good in his difficult rôle, while an especial word of praise is due to the spirited Abimelech of Mr. Bernard Ross. His untimely stage death was a misfortune. Mr. Gilding Clark as an aged Hebrew made the best of the part. It is due to principals and chorus alike to say that their enunciation was remarkably clear.

"IL TROVATORE."

The performance of "Il Trovatore" at night was every whit as good. Miss Eva Turner, who has won such golden tributes, was an excellent Leonora, both in voice and manner. Miss Gladys Parr, as Azucena, made it indeed "a tale of horror and woe." The Manrico of Mr. Hughes Macklin was robust, yet restrained. His voice blended admirably with that of Miss Turner and created ill-timed enthusiasm in the audience. Mr. Booth Hitchen was an efficient support in the part of the Count, while Mr. Frederick Clendon, as Ferrando, deserves special mention for his fine declamation.

The Miserere scene had to be repeated. It was a tribute to, although hard on, the chorus, but the audience would not be denied. Never, it is safe to say, has a better opera chorus been to Dublin.

A "feature" of the opera is the ballet, of which Miss Ailne Phillips is the *premiere*. It has played no inconsiderable part in making this visit of the Royal Carl Rosa Company such a success.

To-night, at half-past seven o'clock sharp, "Lohengrin."

ABBEY THEATRE.

THE DUBLIN DRAMA LEAGUE.

Last night, at the Abbey Theatre, the Dublin Drama League gave its first production of the 1923-4 season. This was "The Kingdom of God," by the Spanish dramatist, Martinez Sierra. There was a large and very appreciative audience.

"The Kingdom of God" is a play which asks a question, and at the end leaves one still wondering what the answer should have been. Signor Martinez seems to have been content simply to state the facts of his case. The question is whether or no Sister Gracia did the best she could have done with her life. The play shows three episodes in the life of this sister of charity. The first when, at the age of 19, she has only just entered the Order. She is well born, but has thrown up her former life. At that time she is perfectly contented, very happy looking after old men in an asylum, and full of hope for the future.

The second episode shows her, at the age of 29, in a maternity home. There she is less sure; the misery around her has told upon her. It is there, too, that she refuses an opportunity to leave the Sisterhood and marry. In the final scene she is an old woman of 70; she is now in charge of a poor orphanage, and there she meets with further difficulties. The end of the play comes when she has just settled a disturbance in the orphanage.

The play is very cleverly written; it becomes at times—particularly in the second act—terribly realistic. There are about forty characters in the play, and it must have been extremely difficult to produce. The greatest credit is due to Mr. Arthur Shields, the producer, for what was a fine production.

Miss Crowe played the part of Sister Gracia. She had, at the end of the performance, to take two "curtains" by herself—and she deserved them. The other performers had smaller parts; the best of them were, perhaps, Mr. Barry Fitzgerald in the first act; Miss MacCormack, Miss Richards, and Mr. F. J. McCormick in the second; and Miss Delaney and Mr. Brereton Barry in the third. It was, however, altogether a good performance of a good play.

The play will be repeated to-night.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference. — The main low pressure centre is still between Iceland and Scotland, and conditions are favourable for the passage of further secondaries across the British Isles. Winds will be west to south-west, strong at times, with alternating fair and rainy periods.

Ireland. — Westerly to south-westerly wind, fresh to strong at times; occasional rain, some bright periods; visibility moderate to good; moderate temperature.

All Irish Seaboards. — Westerly to south-westerly wind, strong to high at times; occasional rain, some bright periods; visibility moderate to good; sea rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Saturday (1 p.m.)		29.70
„ Sunday (3 p.m.)		29.10

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To-day.... Rises	7. 3	Sets	5.15
To-morrow.. „	7. 5	„	5.13
Lighting-up Time			6.15

HIGH WATER.

DUBLIN.			
To-day.....Morning	10. 7	Afternoon	10.19
To-morrow.. „ „	10.42	„	10.52
BELFAST.			
To-day....Morning	9.26	Afternoon	9.49
To-morrow.. „ „	9.58	„	10.19
QUEENSTOWN.			
To-day....Morning	3.47	Afternoon	4. 7
To-morrow.. „ „	4.26	„	4.44

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Lohengrin," 7.30 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties 6.45 and 9.0 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Fancy Fayre," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Dublin Drama League—Abbey Theatre, 8.15 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Arrah-na-Pogue," 6.45 and 8.45
Bohemian Picture Theatre—"Steel-Heart."
The Carlton—"A Night of Romance," 4.30 and 8.15 p.m.
The Sackville Picture House—"Get Your Man."
Princess, Rathmines—"Darlin'."
Metropole Cinema—"Her Husband's Trade Mark."
The Grafton Picture House—Jackie Coogan in "Trouble," 12-10.30 p.m.
Corinthian—"Intolerance," 2, 4.50, and 7.40 p.m.
Stella, Rathmines—"Shifting Sands."
Rotunda Pictures—Dempsey-Firpo Fight.
The Kingstown Picture House—"Lorna Doone."
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"The Song of the Soul," 4, 6.35, and 9.10 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"The Flirt," 3-10.30 p.m.
National University Nominations, 49 Merrion square, 10 to 12 noon.
Inquest on Noel Lemass, Rathmines Town Hall, 11 a.m.
Dublin Guardians' Inquiry, 10.30 a.m.
Sheriff's Inquiry, Green street, 11 a.m.
Dublin Corporation, 3 p.m.
Dail Eireann (Winding-up) Courts, 11 a.m.
Senate Dublin University, 2 p.m.
Feis Ceoil—General Meeting Mansion House, 5 p.m.
Rotary Lunch, Clergy's Restaurant, 1 p.m.

SIR HORACE PLUNKETT.

It is understood that Sir Horace Plunkett, owing to the condition of his health, contemplates resigning from the Free State Senate.

If I had a son or daughter and could not afford to send them to the university I should send them on the stage and let them tour. It is the finest education in the world.—Miss Clemence Dane.

LONDON LETTER.

THE GERMAN SITUATION.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

The situation in Germany is rapidly going from bad to worse, and the coming week can be regarded only with mistrust and suspicion. Food shortage is beginning to play a grim part in the unrest, and it is said that the Ruhr population is threatened with famine. It is quite probable that France, in order to save the situation there, will have to feed the people who have been so bitterly hostile. In Bavaria General von Lossow, the dictator appointed by Berlin, has been recalled, and, it is reported, refuses to obey, just as he has declined to carry out the orders of the Government which sent him. Socialist Saxony is virtually in a state of eruption, and order is to be restored by stern measures. It is often suggested that France desires the break-up of the German Empire. She seems likely to obtain her wish, but she must beware that she does not involve herself and Europe in the ruins.

The Ruhr.

From to-day Germany ceases to be responsible for the resistance of the Ruhr workers to the administration of the occupying force, and no further payments will be made in support of that policy. This at one time was generally held to constitute the end of passive resistance, and the view attributed to M. Poincaré that resistance does not end until the former productivity is restored, and until the former deliveries in kind are resumed, has come as a surprise in London and Berlin, and even in Paris. If this view is maintained, no progress will be made in the search for a settlement of the Ruhr problem. At the moment it would appear that the reparations question is to be side-tracked by negotiations having for their object an interpretation of the term "the end of passive resistance"; but, fortunately, there are powerful groups in Paris which desire to see a clearer atmosphere in French policy, and they will be strengthened by the latest developments.

A "Wireless" Feat.

The greatest achievement in connection with "wireless" broadcasting may be reached on Thursday next, when Mr. Baldwin speaks at the Conservative Conference at Plymouth. The Prime Minister is expected to make an important speech, in the course of which the domestic situation will be fully reviewed and the foreign position will be dealt with as far as Mr. Baldwin feels himself able to touch upon matters of admitted delicacy. Should Mr. Baldwin give his consent to the broadcasting of his speech, there appear to be no technical difficulties in the way. In that case the words of the Premier would be carried over land telephone lines from Plymouth to London, Manchester, Glasgow and the other broadcast stations, and radiated simultaneously from six or seven different parts of England and Scotland. Thus it will, in every sense, be a message to the nation.

The Imperial Conference.

In political circles there is much comment regarding the secrecy attending the discussions by the Imperial Conference since Lord Curzon made his speech on foreign affairs. It is now said that the reason for this secrecy is that some important negotiations are taking place, and that these have made it imperative that silence shall be preserved for a time.

The Tyre Industry.

The Political Correspondent of the *Sunday Times* says that he understands that the Government proposes to come to the rescue of the tyre industry when Parliament meets by scheduling it under the Safeguarding of Industries Act. Exceptional conditions demand exceptional measures, and only the most obstinate Free Trader could deny that the competition with which the home industry is now faced owing to the depressed state of the Continental exchanges is too ruinous in its incidence to be allowed to continue unchecked.

Papyrus and Zev.

Although the match between Papyrus and Zev did not excite the same amount of interest here as in America, there was great excitement in London last night to know the result. Huge crowds gathered round the electric signs at Trafalgar Square and the Elephant and Castle, where the latest news is displayed by electric signs. Special editions of the evening papers were issued, while in the theatres and music-halls the performances were interrupted in order to announce the result. Others heard it by "wireless" telephone by their own firesides. Though Papyrus has been defeated, from several points of view the contest has been a success, and it may be taken as the first of a long series of annual international competitions of the same description.

Sir Horace Plunkett.

Sir Horace Plunkett, whose home at Kilteragh was burned down, has at last found a home in England suited to his needs. He has bought a charming old house at St. George's Hill, Weybridge. It has a large amount of ground attached to it.

The Doctors' Strike.

It appears to be taken for granted that the majority of the fourteen thousand panel doctors will present their notices on Tuesday, resigning their posts on the 1st January, 1924. Before that date arrives much may happen, and in the meantime various alternative schemes are being considered. The approved societies are credited with the intention of setting up a panel system of their own with other doctors. The medical profession is reported to be considering a modified form of the panel scheme, and it is said that the Ministry of Health will make inquiries as to the prospect of filling the places of the doctors who resign. Faced by the demand of the societies that the capitation fee should be reduced to 7s. 3d., which was the fee when the National Health Insurance Act came into force, and by the insistence of the doctors that the fee should remain at the present level of 9s. 6d., the Ministry of Health put forward the amount of 8s. 6d. as a compromise, which has been strongly refused by both sides. In any case, the panel system has received a damaging blow, and may not survive the shock in its present form.

"T.P."

The Marquis Curzon has promised to preside at Mr. T. P. O'Connor's 75th birthday dinner, which is being given at the Savoy Hotel on the 29th inst. The guests will include the American, French, Italian and Japanese Ambassadors, the Lord Chief Justice, Lord Derby and Mr. Winston Churchill. Because of the many American associations which are vested in the room where it will be held—the Mirror Room—a bust of Abraham Lincoln, which has been executed by a distinguished sculptor and presented by Mr. T. P. O'Connor, will be unveiled by the Marquis Curzon. From then onwards the room will be known as the Abraham Lincoln Room. No other room in London, it is stated, has seen so many American functions. It was here that stranded American tourists were given relief at the beginning of the war, and later where Mr. Hoover for a time organised the Belgian relief administration.

Keep advertising and advertising will keep you.—Lord Dewar.

Instead of being an entertainment for the simplest taste pantomime has become an entertainment for the most jaded.—Mr. G. K. Chesterton.

BAVARIA'S REVOLT.

HERR STRESEMANN DEFIED: CIVIL WAR FEARS.

NEW REPUBLIC.

SEPARATIST PROCLAMATION IN THE RHINELAND.

The news from Germany goes from bad to worse. Bavaria is in a state of "open rebellion," and has defied Herr Stresemann, while in Aix-la-Chapelle the long-talked of Rhineland Republic has been proclaimed. The Separatists declare their intention of carrying their movement into operation in other towns in the Ruhr and Rhineland.

BAVARIA'S REVOLT.

HERR STRESSEMANN'S BIG TASK.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Sunday.

Germany's numerous crises seem to be swiftly moving to a *dénouement*. A turning point is at hand, leading either to better things or into darker labyrinths. If the Central Government proves weak, political disintegration and the toppling over of the edifice erected by Bismarck must follow.

The Bavarian reactionaries and Monarchymongers are dropping the mask of homage to the Republic, and have now openly defied Berlin.

The dispute occasioned by the Von Lossow affair is the excuse for Bavaria's latest challenge. Von Lossow, who commanded the National troops in Bavaria, was ordered by Herr Gessler to suppress a Munich newspaper, but refused.

The "mutinous" officer was dismissed by Berlin, but late last night the Bavarian Cabinet—apparently believing that the moment was favourable for a trial of strength—"absolved" the troops of the 7th Bavarian Division from their oath of allegiance to the Central Government, and appointed Von Lossow as their Commander.

Bavaria is now in open rebellion against the Berlin Government, and her troops are commanded by the mutinous General dismissed by the Central Ministry.

Though there is talk of civil war—and there are spectacular offensive movements by Berlin's troops against Munich, and trenches are being dug along the Bavarian frontier—it is probable that Berlin will begin to parley with the "rebels."

In Saxony troops to-day occupied all the chief industrial towns.

As to the Rhine and the Ruhr, the view is spreading more and more that they are temporarily "lost," and the view is gaining ground that while unoccupied Germany is free from the burdens imposed by the Versailles Treaty the country must prepare for the supreme task of reconquest and revenge.

BAVARIA'S DEFIANCE.

The Bavarian Government's decision followed the failure of the Labour Minister, Herr Brauns, sent as special envoy by Herr Stresemann and President Ebert, to reach an agreement with General von Lossow, and to request him to resign.

The Bavarian Government in its proclamation declares that the National Government has overstepped its right in mixing in affairs concerning Bavaria alone. The proclamation states that the recall of Von Lossow was an unwarranted usurpation of Bavarian rights, and an offensive against the Bavarian Government.

"General von Lossow formerly commanded the Reichswehr in Bavaria, and attempted to make his mission coincide with the political demands of the situation. The National Government decided to settle the matter in a military way. This the Bavarian Government cannot accept. In the interest of public order and quiet, the Bavarian contingent of the Reichswehr has, therefore, withdrawn from the National Army, and the command offered to General von Lossow, which he has accepted."

"OPEN REBELLION."

BAVARIA DEFIES HERR STRESEMANN.

BERLIN, Sunday.

"Open rebellion" is the term applied here to the act of Herr von Kahr, the Bavarian Dictator, and is fully recognised by the Berlin Government. It is obvious that there are only two alternatives before the Government of the Reich, one being to come to some kind of arrangement with Bavaria by negotiations, as the latter more or less suggested in its proclamation yesterday, and the other to resort to force, thus letting loose the horrors of civil war. Needless to say, Berlin will move heaven and earth to avoid the latter course, and therefore will adopt the first alternative in the hope that mutual concessions will enable the conflict to be at least temporarily patched up.—(Reuter.)

VON KAHR'S DECLARATION.

MUNICH, Sunday.

Herr von Kahr, the Bavarian dictator, explained to-day to Press representatives the reasons for what had been described as the Bavarian Government's open rebellion against Berlin.

He emphatically declared that the Bavarian Government, in taking its momentous step, had rejected all idea of separatism and particularism. It considered its attitude as a national duty against internationalism and Marxism, and its action was not taken against the Reich, but only against the policy of the Government of the Reich. "The choice must now be made," Herr von Kahr said, "between German and non-German. The Bavarian Government is fighting for the idea of Greater Germany."—(Reuter.)

BERLIN'S REPLY.

BERLIN, Sunday.

The Imperial Government has issued a manifesto to the German people protesting against Bavaria's open breach of the Constitution. The manifesto declares that Bavaria has thought fit to bring about internal disputes in the Reich, in spite of the intolerable distress in the Rhineland and the Ruhr territory, and that the starting point of these disputes is whether military discipline is to prevail in present-day Germany—a question on which the Bavarian Government ought to have no doubt.

After emphasising the anxiety of the Central Government to avoid a rupture, the manifesto goes on to repudiate what it describes as an attempt to represent the Bavarian Government's action as being part of a struggle of the national Christian outlook on life against the Marxian Internationalistic attitude.

The action of the Bavarian Government at a time when the Imperial Government requires the forces of the whole people in order to hold out against the French annihilatory policy, is strongly condemned, and an appeal is addressed to all Germans to combine in the struggle for the only thing that remains to the German people—the German Reich and German unity.

At the same time General von Seeckt, Commander-in-Chief of the Reichswehr, has issued an order to the Reichswehr, describing the Bavarian Government's action as an attack upon the Constitution, and declaring that anybody obeying the Bavarian Government's Decree, breaks his oath to the Reich, and is guilty of military disobedience.

He adds—"I formally call upon the Seventh Division of the Reichswehr to remain loyal to their oath to the Reich, and unconditionally to obey the orders of their highest military Commander. I regard the loyalty of all other actions of the Army as assured."—(Reuter.)

A NEW REPUBLIC.

SEPARATIST COUP AT AIX-LA-CHAPELLE.

AIX-LA-CHAPELLE, Sunday.

A Rhineland Republic has been proclaimed here. All public buildings were occupied at 4 o'clock this morning by Rhinelanders, and the Rhenish flag is now flying over the Town Hall. No resistance was made by Schutzpolizei, and perfect order prevails. The proclamation by the Provisional Government forbids resistance, demonstrations, or looting.

The Provisional Government also announces that there is no lack of food and employment, and urges the public to remain calm and dignified. Rhenish troops will now march to the northern extreme of the Belgian zone, and will probably go later to the French and British areas.

PARIS, Sunday.

The Prefect of the Police stated that the police would remain neutral, and would be confined to barracks, when approached by the Separatists, who took possession of the buildings without opposition. The inhabitants of Aix-la-Chapelle seem to accept the new situation with equanimity.

On the order of the Separatists, the postal and telegraph officials are remaining on duty. The impression is gained that the Separatists' *coup* has completely succeeded in winning over hesitating followers to the Republic idea. Herr Deckers, the head of the movement, is an Aix-la-Chapelle merchant, and Herr Guthardt, an engineer from Duisburg. On their General Staff are many business men, officials, and professors, who give the impression that they know what they want, and that they are following a very definite plan.

A delegation of unemployed waited on the new Government to inquire its policy, and received an answer that the industrialists would be compelled to reimburse the workers, and that it was hoped that the Republic would bring back economic prosperity.

So far the movement is confined to Aix-la-Chapelle and the immediate surroundings, but the Separatists announce their intention of extending their operations to-night, and of sending detachments in motor lorries to Crefeld and Muenchen Gladbach.—(Reuter.)

BERLIN, Sunday.

The proclamation of a Rhenish Republic has not been taken tragically in official quarters here, where the incident is regarded as purely a local outburst, engineered by Separatists, with the support of French and Belgian authorities, and which is not likely to spread to other towns in the Rhineland and the Ruhr.

The first news of the "putsch" arrived from Paris, and the German account has hitherto been confined to a message from Aix la Chapelle, to the effect that some two thousand armed Separatists had, during the night, occupied the Government and public buildings, and were trying to enter into negotiations with the occupation authorities.

The Cabinet met this afternoon, but the matter under discussion was primarily the Bavarian problem, which requires a speedy solution.

PARIS, Saturday.

The French official attitude towards the Aix-la-Chapelle *coup* is one of cautious reserve. It is pointed out that it remains to be seen what proportions the movement will assume.

It is not clear whether the Aix-la-Chapelle merchant named Deckers, who is reported to be heading the movement there, is acting in accord with the principal Separatist leaders. It appears that Deckers has successively joined and withdrawn from the Dorton and Smeets parties, and his relations with Herr Matthes, the other Separatist leader, are obscure.

The opinion is expressed here that the movement may well spread throughout the Rhineland in its present state of high tension. In any event it is officially declared the French, like the Belgians, will not intervene unless it is necessary to protect the lives and property of Allied nationals, or nationals working for the Allies.—(Reuter.)

According to a telegram from a French source in Dusseldorf, the proclamation of a Rhineland Republic at Aix-la-Chapelle came as a surprise, not only to the Occupation authorities, but also to the administration of the Separatist Party.—(Reuter.)

EX-TSAR'S MURDER.

NEW LIGHT ON A REVOLTING CRIME.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Sunday.

General Dietrix, who was entrusted by Koltchak with the task of establishing the facts with regard to the murder of the Russian Imperial Family, states that the heads of the Tsar and Tsarina were placed in alcohol and sent to Moscow.

In a book published by him at Vladivostok, and quoted by the *Matin*, he relates that on the day following the crime an expedition left Ekaterinoslav for the forest where the bodies had already been conveyed to destroy all traces of the tragedy, and to secure for the Soviet Government absolute proof that its instructions had been carried out.

A surgeon was with the party, whose duty is alleged to have been to decapitate the bodies. The bodies were brought back to Ekaterinoslav, and Goloschoff, who was in charge of the party, left for Moscow the day after with three heavy cases, which were put into his carriage.

A telegram had previously been sent to Moscow saying that important "documents" were being sent.

SENATOR'S DEATH AT GENEVA.

THE LATE MR. MacPARTLIN TO BE BURIED IN IRELAND.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Sunday.

Ireland's first participation in the annual Conference of the International Labour Bureau has been marked by a tragedy.

The Irish delegation only arrived on Friday evening, and yesterday morning, when one of the technical advisers, Mr. Thomas MacPartlin, was called no response was obtained, and he was found dead in bed.

A doctor certified that death was due to heart failure. The body will be conveyed to Ireland for burial.

Speaking at the election meeting in College Green yesterday, President Cosgrave said that they should send a message of sympathy to the family of Senator MacPartlin, who was "a great man, a credit to his Orders and a credit to his country."

DOCKERS' STRIKE.

TO-DAY'S BALLOT IN DUBLIN.

HOPES OF SETTLEMENT.

Popular interest in Dublin over the week-end largely centred around the prospects of a settlement of the dock labour dispute, which has dislocated the trade of the Port of Dublin for such a lengthened period, and has had a most damaging effect upon almost every branch of industry in the city. Parties in close touch with both the employers and the dockers took an optimistic view yesterday as to the outcome of the ballot which will be held to-day at Liberty Hall upon the Government proposals for a settlement.

One public representative declared yesterday that he had not the slightest doubt that there would be a settlement, especially if a provision were made that, provided the dockers accepted the proposed "cut," there would be no further interference with their wages for a specified period.

The number of dockers who are expected to participate in to-day's secret ballot is approximately 3,000.

Mr. James Larkin, when asked yesterday if he had anything to say regarding the prospects of a settlement of the dockers' dispute, replied, "I will say nothing." In its issue of Saturday Mr. Larkin's paper, *The Irish Worker*, published an article headed "The Great Betrayal," discussing the proposed ballot and a meeting of the No. 1 Branch of the Irish Transport Union held at the Mansion House on the 14th inst. A further meeting of the No. 1 Branch was summoned for yesterday. On inquiry at the Mansion House it was ascertained that the meeting had been cancelled, but that a meeting of the Strike Committee would be held last night at 8 o'clock. At the headquarters of the Transport Union there was no evidence of activity during the day.

As a result of this prolonged period of unemployment the workers and their families are suffering keenly, and there is naturally a desire among them to bring the wretched state of affairs to an end. An equally keen desire for the resumption of normal conditions is apparent among the employers and traders of Dublin, and the settlement which has been reached at Cork and other Free State ports is having a potent influence for peace in the capital.

It is understood that work will be resumed on Wednesday morning in Cork and Limerick, and a feeling is prevalent that a settlement of the dockers' dispute would have the effect of bringing to an end also the numerous other existing labour disputes.

It is understood that the result of the ballot will be known to-morrow, and it is anticipated that in the event of the resumption of work by the dockers and the re-opening of cross-Channel transport the other disputes will be rapidly settled.

SHIPPING AT BANTRY.

During the past week large amounts of foodstuffs, coal, and general supplies have been dealt with at Bantry. Large cargo boats come and go daily, and the quays present a very busy appearance.

EXPEDITION SAFE.

SCIENTISTS' BATTLE WITH ARCTIC ICE.

CHRISTIANIA (By Mail).

After being frozen in the ice off East Coast of Greenland for ten weeks, the members of the Oceanographical Expedition sent out by the Tromso Geophysical Institute have succeeded in freeing their ship, the Conrad Holmboe, and have arrived at Isafjord in the north of Iceland.

During the period in which they were frozen in, they drifted steadily in a southerly direction owing to the force of the Polar current along the Greenland coast.

The officers and crew were subjected to great strain and hardship, and, owing to heavy leakage caused by the enormous pressure of the ice against the bottom and sides of the ship, it was necessary to keep relays of men constantly at the pumps.

When the food supplies began to give out, hunting parties were sent over the ice to shoot Polar bears. At one time it was thought that the expedition would have to winter in the ice-belt, and had this step proved necessary it is doubtful if many of the members would have survived the ordeal.—(Reuter.)

PARIS FEELS THE PINCH.

SOARING FOOD PRICES.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Saturday.

The Prefect of Police has ordered an inquiry to determine the causes of the continued rise in the cost of living.

This has assumed alarming proportions, and it is feared the winter will witness a return to the maximum prices which ruled at the end of 1920.

Action is taken following the publication of a report showing the effect of recent increases on family budgets. Taking sixteen of the principal articles of consumption, and including fuel, light, clothing, and rent, it is found that, in comparison with the index figure of 100 for 1914, the cost, which rose to 370 in the last quarter of 1920 and fell to 289 a year ago, has now gone up again to 331.

Coal, which was sold at 6½ francs for a hundred kilos in 1914, now costs 27 francs. Ready-made clothing has risen to 384, as compared with 100 in 1914, and a pair of boots which cost 18 francs now cost 72.

OBITUARY.

DEATH OF THE DUKE OF SOMERSET.

The Duke of Somerset died at 1.45 this morning. He had been ailing for some time, and his condition was yesterday stated to be very critical.

Born in 1846, he served with the Red River Expedition in 1870 as a lieutenant in the 60th Rifles. He married, in 1877, Susan Margaret, younger daughter of the late Mr. Charles MacKinnon, and, with his wife, promoted many schemes for the benefit of his tenantry in Wiltshire and Leicestershire, where he owned over 25,000 acres.

His Grace succeeded his father, the fourteenth Duke, in 1894. At the Coronation of King Edward VII. and King George he bore the orb. The title passes to his brother, Lord Ernest St. Maur, who was born in 1847.

SENATOR THOMAS McPARTLIN.

Senator Thomas McPartlin was found dead in bed in the Hotel des Bergues, Geneva, on Saturday morning. He was acting as workers' adviser in the Saorstat delegation to the International Conference which opens to-day in Geneva. Last Wednesday he left Dublin, in company with Mr. Thomas Johnson, the workers' delegate, and the Government and employers' representatives. They arrived in Geneva on Friday and retired to rest. When one of the hotel servants knocked at Mr. McPartlin's door on Saturday morning there was no response, and on entering the room Mr. McPartlin was found to be dead, apparently from heart failure.

Mr. McPartlin was a former president of the Irish Labour Congress, and had also acted as president of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters. He had a long and honourable record in the Labour movement and occupied many important positions. He was only 42 years of age, and leaves a widow and nine children. General sympathy is expressed with them in their bereavement.

A funeral Service will be held at Geneva, probably to-morrow, after which the remains will be brought to Dublin for interment.

STEAMER SUNK BY MINE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sunday.

The Italian steamer Agathocles, 11,000 tons, while proceeding to Ismiaf with a cargo of old iron, struck a mine on Friday morning off Derivdje and sank. The crew were saved.—(Reuter.)

I felt like a pauper in the United States.—Sir Alfred Mond.

The movement of a cat is one of the most beautiful things we know.—Professor S. Alexander.

PAPYRUS LOST.

DERBY WINNER FAILS IN AMERICA.

"BEST HORSE WON."

70,000 PEOPLE WATCH "INTERNATIONAL."

The race between Papyrus, the British Derby winner, and Zev, America's best three-year-old, for a purse of $100,000 was the first international sporting event of this character to take place in the United States. Zev's owner receives a purse of £16,000 and Mr. Ben Irish, the owner of Papyrus, £4,000.

Experts generally comment on the fact that Papyrus's defeat was an honourable one, as he was the first of English horses to make such an ocean trip. The British contestant was faced with the handicap of an unfamiliar climate, a dirt track, when it was accustomed to turf, and, finally, was forced to race under conditions of heavy mud.

The race was witnessed by the most brilliant throng ever assembled on an American course (says Reuter's Special Correspondent), and took place amid one roar of excitement, the spectators in the grand stand rising *en masse* and shouting for their respective favourites.

The American colt, who disproved all fears regarding his fitness, which had almost caused his withdrawal, covered the distance of a mile and a half in the good time of 2 mins. 35 2-5 secs., and secures for America the £1,000 International Gold Challenge Cup, which he will defend annually against all-comers.

HOW ZEV WON.

PAPYRUS BEATEN BY SIX LENGTHS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELMONT PARK, Saturday.

The American horse, Zev, decisively beat Papyrus, the English Derby winner, by six full lengths in the international race at Belmont Park this afternoon. Zev covered the mile and a half in 2 mins. 35 1-5 secs.

Papyrus had no chance, in my opinion, on the unaccustomed dirt track at Belmont Park. The heavy mud track was against him from the start. On a grass track such as he is used to in England, I am certain the race would have had a different ending. He was slipping through the mud welter on more than one occasion. I think he should have had special shoeing for such a race.

A vast crowd of excited spectators, numbering about 70,000, saw Earl Sande, the youthful American jockey, pilot Zev to victory against the English thoroughbred, ridden by Steve Donoghue, who had ridden the Derby winners for three years in succession.

Zev shot into a commanding lead at the start, and held it until the finish of a gruelling test, over a track that was a marsh of mud after days of rain, and a severe churning-up in the races preceding the classic struggle.

Sande had difficulty with Zev at the barrier. The American horse was nervous and jumpy, in strong contrast to the calm Papyrus, who behaved perfectly under the masterful soothing touch of Donoghue.

When the barrier rose a mighty roar, "They're off," echoed from the vast crowd. Donoghue flashed into the lead with Papyrus, but only for an instant. Zev gathered speed rapidly, and caught Papyrus before the first furlong had been covered. When the pair of champions swept past the quarter-mile post Zev was leading by a length. The positions remained unchanged until the third furlong.

At the half-mile Donoghue made his supreme bid for victory, and from English throats came the familiar cry, "Come on, Steve." Once Papyrus crept up on Zev slowly until his head was even with Zev's saddle. Then Sande sent Zev shooting well into the lead again, and in another furlong had opened a clear space between him and his rival.

At the mile the result seemed inevitable. Sande, taking no chance of defeat, flogged Zev mercilessly with boots, elbows and whip. Donoghue urged Papyrus on with all his racing skill and genius, but it was in vain.

At a mile and a quarter the gap widened to three lengths, and then, while Papyrus faltered on, fighting with his undaunted courage for a speed which his tired body could not attain, Zev gradually increased the lead. When the race was hopelessly lost, Donoghue straightened up in his saddle, and raised his whip in token of defeat. The part of the crowd that saw the gesture cheered Donoghue for saving his mount from a useless strain in a lost cause.

FROM REUTER'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

BELMONT PARK, Saturday.

Papyrus made a brave effort, but it was the general opinion that the rough ocean voyage, together with the adverse track conditions, were too much for the English colt, particularly as he was shod smoothly, while Zev wore heel caulks to prevent slipping. It was apparent that Papyrus could not get a firm footing, especially at the start, when he seemed to slip.

Interviewed afterwards, Donoghue said:—"Papyrus was not at home in the soft going," and this opinion was confirmed by Mr. Jarvis. Neither, however, wishes to put this forward as an excuse for Papyrus's failure.

Special trains, motor cars, chars-à-banc, and every variety of conveyance from an early hour this morning discharged thousands upon thousands of excited visitors, who bore down on the turnstiles of the Belmont Park course like an invading army. General satisfaction was felt that Zev, after all the conflicting rumours and eleventh hour doubts, was to represent America.

Zev was quoted favourite in the morning betting at odds of 5 to 4 on. By noon this had further shortened to 2 to 1 on, and even at this price large bets were difficult to place.

In the pleasantly warm October sun, which threw into bright relief the colours of the women's toilettes, the course presented a brilliant spectacle. The enclosure and grand stand, where prices ranged as high as £5 a head, were filled with a distinguished crowd, among whom were many prominent in the official and social world.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the ex-President, and Mr. Getty Chilton, British *Chargé d'Affaires* at Washington, occupied private boxes. Admiral Grayson, who was among the early arrivals, expressed keen disappointment that his colt, My Own, had not been selected to race against Papyrus.

It was 25 minutes past three when Papyrus reached the paddock, and was walked round the small enclosure while thousands fought to gain a glimpse of England's representative. Donoghue, his jockey, was the centre of an equally interested crowd as he walked to the scales to weigh-in. Zev was led out a few minutes later, and it was noticed that there was no visible sign of the skin malady which caused such a sensation in Turf circles on Friday.

When Earl Sande and Donoghue met at the scales they greeted each other with cordial handshakes.

The huge crowd stood up with bared heads as the strains, first of the English and then of the American National Anthems, were played by the band. The sounding of the bell for saddling up was the signal for a great rush to the rails in order to secure good positions for seeing the race. Meanwhile, in the paddock, Donoghue mounted the Derby winner, wearing the purple and primrose of Mr. Ben Irish, while Sande took the saddle on Zev, in the Rancoco's stable colours of white and green.

A tremendous cheer was raised as the two contestants threaded their way through a narrow lane in the crowd and cantered towards the judge's stand. Zev, who wore blinkers, pranced about and seemed in fine fettle, while Papyrus, without any headgear, walked serenely, apparently unperturbed by the surrounding din. With the horses at the post, there was hardly a sound from the vast concourse of spectators, every eye being focussed on the starting barrier.

But a great shout went up when, exactly at five minutes to four, the "off" was given. Papyrus got away well to lead by a length and a half. Zev broke away poorly, but Sande quickly took him in to the rails, and, overhauling the English colt, was a length to the good at the first quarter-mile pole.

Then came the most thrilling part of the race. After the pair had flashed by the half-mile mark, Zev still a length ahead, Donoghue made a gallant bid for the lead. Very slowly he got Papyrus up, but Sande saw the danger

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HUNGER STRIKE.

DEMONSTRATIONS IN DUBLIN.

EXECUTIVE'S ATTITUDE

Speaking at a meeting in College Green, Dublin, yesterday, President Cosgrave denounced the hunger strike as "a fraud," and said that if any man died the responsibility would not rest on the Government. The prisoners would be kept in prison until life and property were as safe in the Free State as they were in any other country in the world. (The speech is reported fully in another column.)

It was stated at the offices of the Republican Reorganising Committee, Dublin, yesterday that the hunger strike would extend to many of the internment camps in the country to-day.

The hunger strike in Mountjoy Prison continues. The number of the prisoners there has been greatly reduced by the transfer of a couple of hundred of the men to other internment camps.

Between five and six o'clock yesterday evening a large number of men and women assembled on the North Circular road, in front of the prison. They formed a procession and marched into Dorset street, Lower, and made a circuit of the prison by way of the Whitworth road and Botanic road. They carried placards, on which were inscribed demands for the release of the prisoners. They recited prayers and hymns during portion of the route. They then dispersed, and re-assembled at eight o'clock and marched to Kilmainham.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.

At 1 o'clock yesterday a meeting was held in Upper Sackville street, Dublin, to demand the release of the prisoners. Mrs. Maud Gonne McBride presided.

At 3 o'clock a meeting, organised by the Trades' Council was held in Sackville street. Mr. Edward Tucker presided, and the speakers included Mr. B. Conway, Mr. P. T. Daly, and Mr. Jim Larkin. As Mr. Larkin was speaking a lorry, containing soldiers with band instruments, passed through the crowd, some of whom booed. Mr. Larkin told his audience not to jeer at them, as they wanted every man on their side.

A deputation from the Ard Fheis, he added, waited on him in reference to the question of a general strike as a means of securing the release of the prisoners. He wanted to know if a strike was called who would support the women and children who would be affected by it? During the last fourteen months, he was informed that only £1,000 had been collected in aid of the Prisoners' Dependents' Fund. He thought that they should do better. He knew what the men were enduring, because he had been on hunger-strike himself, but it was their Government who were keeping these men in prison. He cordially supported the movement for the unconditional release of the prisoners.

Reports from the provinces show that in many towns Republicans have obeyed the instructions of the Ard Fheis to assemble in the streets and recite the Rosary.

ROYAL CHRISTENING.

DISTINGUISHED GATHERING IN BELGRADE.

BELGRADE, Sunday.

The ceremony of the christening of the baby Crown Prince of Yugo-Slavia was performed this morning in the chapel of the Royal Palace in the presence of thirty persons, including sixteen Sovereigns or members of reigning families. The child was given the name of his grandfather, Peter. The ceremony was carried out in accordance with Yugo-Slav rites and traditions. The Duke and Duchess of York acted as godfather and godmother (koom and koomistas).

Among the witnesses were the King and Queen of Rumania, the Queen of the Hellenes, the Crown Prince of Rumania, Princess Ileane of Rumania, Prince Nicholas of Greece, his wife and three daughters, including Princess Olga, whose wedding with Prince Paul Karjeorgiewich takes place to-morrow.

Numerous telegrams of congratulation were received at the Palace, including one from Signor Mussolini, the Italian Prime Minister. Public buildings and most of the houses are garlanded, there being a generous display of the Yugo-Slav, Rumanian and Greek colours.

ACCORDING TO PLAN.

A *Times* telegram from Belgrade on Sunday says:—The Duke and Duchess of York arrived a little after half-past seven last night, and were met at the station by King Alexander, his widowed sister, Princess John Constantinovitch of Russia, his uncle, Prince Arsene, and his cousin, Prince Paul. The British Minister, Sir Charles Yonng, and the veteran Prime Minister, M. Pashitch, were also present. Escorted by a detachment of the Royal Cavalry, which made a fine show, the Royal guests immediately proceeded to the Palace, where, in spite of the cold, large crowds awaited the arrival of the Koom and Koomitsa.

To-day's christening passed off according to plan, except that the baby's mother, although not seriously indisposed, was unable to be present. When the Royal party had assembled in the chapel the baby was brought by the Duke of York, who held him throughout the Service until the Queen of Roumania (grandmother) and Princess John (aunt) unswathed him, when the Duke gave him to the Patriarch, Monsignor Dimitriye, for the immersion in the font.

Then according to the ritual the Queen of Roumania placed a cross round the baby's neck, and the child was anointed. The Duke of York, carrying the baby, with the Patriarch, and preceded by a deacon with a thurible, then passed three times round the altar. The ceremony came to an end soon after the sprinkling of holy water and the ceremonial cutting of the baby's hair.

Before proceeding to the christening banquet, the Royal party, with the baby, appeared on the Palace balcony, in fine sunshine, before the patient and excited crowd. Amid the dead silence which ensued a typical peasant voice rang out: "*Kako mu ime?*" (What is his name?). This announcement had been overlooked, but was immediately made, whereupon there was a great burst of cheering. "Zhivio Petar" (Long live Peter).

This evening there is a family dinner, followed by a concert.

PRINCE'S HOME-COMING.

WELCOMED BY LONDON CROWDS.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Sunday.

The Prince of Wales evidently was surprised at the number of people waiting on the platform at Waterloo to welcome him home on Saturday evening. He had travelled as Lord Renfrew in a reserved saloon on the ordinary boat train special from Southampton, and no official welcome had been prepared. But the crowd who had gathered on the platform could not resist a cheer as they saw his slight figure in a grey suit without an overcoat walk briskly down the platform with Mr. Peter C. Larkin, the High Commissioner for Canada. Rather shy and embarrassed, as though he had almost forgotten what it feels like to be Royalty, the Prince paused for a minute by the barrier before he smiled round on the crowd in characteristic way, and lifted his hat.

The drive out of the station was lined with people, who cheered him again as his car drove through the archway. It was a quiet, simple homecoming, just like that of the other passengers returning home from a holiday abroad. Before leaving the platform he had chatted with several of them, who waved their hands to him out of the carriage windows.

The members of his suite who returned with him to London were Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey, Brigadier-General Trotter, Sir Godfrey Thomas, and Mr. F. Peacock.

POLAND'S POLICY OF PEACE.

WARSAW, Sunday.

The semi-official Warsaw *Gazette* denies certain rumours that Poland and the Soviets are preparing for war, and attributes them to secret agents seeking to shake the confidence in Poland's peaceful relations with her neighbours, and to paralyse the Republic's efforts at financial reform.—(Reuter.)

MEMORIAL CROSS AT ST. OMER.

THE EVERLASTING BROTHERHOOD.

ST. OMER, Sunday.

A ceremony of great interest took place to-day at St. Omer, when General Macready unveiled a Cross of Sacrifice in the British cemetery outside the town. Marshal Pétain was to have represented the French Army, but owing to illness his place was taken by General Lacapelle.

General Macready, who was Adjutant-General in 1914, and who was accompanied by Major-General Sir Fabian Ware and officers of the Graves Commission, represented the British Army.

Having unveiled the Cross of Sacrifice, General Macready, accompanied by General Lacapelle and the Prefect, proceeded to the Stone of Remembrance, where speeches were delivered.

General Macready, speaking in French, said—"I feel it a great honour to have been asked to unveil this Cross of Remembrance, which marks the official inauguration of this cemetery, where lie 2,500 British soldiers in the soil of France alongside their French comrades-in-arms.

"I recall the days when the British Headquarters, moving from the Aisne after Marshal Joffre had hurled the Bosch backwards, established themselves in the town of St. Omer, and I remember, too, the first graves that were placed in this spot.

"It was here in St. Omer that the Imperial War Graves Commission was first constituted—an organisation that now, thanks to the generosity of the French nation, watches over and cares for no less than 2,000 cemeteries along that battle front, which was never pierced by a ruthless and barbarous enemy.

"Those who lie around us died for freedom, died that future generations may be spared the sacrifice that they made, died for their *patrie*.

"The brotherhood of our two countries, born in danger, cemented in blood, kept alive in the memory of our gallant dead who died for France, will survive for all time.

"On behalf of the Imperial War Graves Commission of Great Britain I accept from the great French nation the charge and care of this sacred spot."

Other speeches were made by the French representatives, including the Mayor, who recalled the memory of Lord Roberts, who died here in 1914.

Representatives of the British Army and Imperial War Graves Commission subsequently attended the Service which was held in the Cathedral, and were present at a luncheon given by the Mayor at the Hotel de Ville.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

UNIONIST CONFERENCE.

The Times, in a leading article upon the forthcoming National Unionist Conference at Plymouth, which it states, "is recognised in advance as a turning point in the career of the Government, which is a matter of far more than party interest," proceeds to observe:—With the one exception of the heaviest crisis of the war, no more staggering burden has been laid in our time upon a British Prime Minister, and even that crisis in a sense was relatively simple, for there was no shadow of doubt about the single object on which Ministers and people were united. To-day there are doubts to be satisfied, deep-rooted prejudices to be taken into account, an indefinite variety of objects to be reconciled. It is essentially not the time for light-hearted partisanship, and for those of us who are not in Mr. Baldwin's innermost councils, the best service, perhaps, which can be rendered to him at this moment is to insist upon certain broad and obvious considerations, which are apt to be submerged in the atmosphere of a party conference. They are four in number.

The first is one which the Prime Minister himself is, of all men, least likely to forget. It is that there can be no attempt to evade or circumvent any undertaking by which, however unwillingly, he holds his high position. In the eyes of the public he is clearly committed by Mr. Bonar Law's pledge of fiscal policy. He is not by any means bound to perpetuate it, but he is certainly bound to respect it so long as the conditions remain—in other words, until the next general election. That, beyond all dialectic, is the first consideration, and it leads inevitably to the second. These are times in which any Government must think twice and think hard before deciding to anticipate its normal appeal to the country. They are very far removed from those peaceful Victorian days when the highest form of political excitement—a general election in England, made no great difference in the world at large, and a Government with contentious proposals might look forward placidly to carrying them, if not at the first, then at the second or third appeal. The problems which confront us to-day are world-wide, and they are very urgent. Time is of the essence of their solution. The British Government, whatever may be said of its shortcomings, is the one stable factor in the European kaleidoscope. No one would deny to Mr. Baldwin the right to place before the electors a considered policy which might seem to him, as a man of honour, to require a mandate personal to himself. What the public, and not merely Mr. Baldwin's party would unquestionably condemn is precipitate action, based on insufficient thought, and, therefore, certain to add fresh confusion at home, to the confusion all around us.

The third consideration then is that any policy which incurs so great a risk must be justified by the knowledge that it has been worked out in all its bearings, and not merely devised as a refuge from the charge of inaction. And the fourth—most important of all, and most distasteful to the ardent party followers—is that these gigantic problems which confront the Prime Minister are not to be solved in the end by the efforts of any one party. Not one of the remedies proposed for our infirmities—the subsidies, the preferences, the schemes of migration, the stabilisation of prices at home, the restoration of credit abroad, the closer co-operation of the British nations—is of any real service, if it is liable to reversal at any moment after a violent internal quarrel. Mr. Baldwin, if he is wise, will satisfy himself before he moves, not only that his plans are sound in themselves, but that he is able to carry them, and that he is able also to convert to them hereafter a far larger body of opinion than will be represented in his audience at Plymouth.

PRESIDENT MASARYK.

A GREAT STATESMAN.

In an editorial reference to the first President of the new Republic of Czecho-Slovakia, who arrived in London yesterday, *The Times* remarks:—As the venerable statesman who lunches with the King to-day looks back through the years to the time when he worked as a locksmith's apprentice in Imperial Vienna, what wonderful memories must crowd in upon his mind—memories of mighty empires shattered, of historic dynasties fallen, of ancient societies convulsed and overthrown; of the new growth, too, amid the ruins, with its promises and its hopes, with its dangers, its fears, its illusions, its unstable present, its unfathomable future. Patient, moderate, provident, Masaryk is keenly sensible of the evil as of the good in the present situation. His plan for the reconstitution of Central Europe was already worked out and laid before the Allies in 1916. It was consecrated by the peace, its base is still "the *Entente* and agreement between the members of the *Entente*," and he reared upon that base the organisation of the Little *Entente*, which received its first and warmest welcome in England.

M. Masaryk and his countrymen desire peace. They see, as he said the other day, that their own interest requires the consolidation of all their neighbours. Upon this policy the future of Masaryk's life work seems to depend. He has planned and reared the structure; he has formed, as is the gift of born leaders, a school worthy to watch over it, but he sees that it cannot stand alone. He cannot lay down his task with the serene assurance of Washington. He must guard the new State until he delivers it to younger hands. But in all the labours and the anxieties that may beset him, Thomas Masaryk knows that his work has been a great work, well and manfully done, the work of leading his ancient race out of bondage into freedom.

MR. CHURCHILL'S BOOK.—XIII.

WHY LORD FISHER RESIGNED.

"I AM OFF TO SCOTLAND AT ONCE."

A RED-INK MINUTE

"FIRST LORD TO SEE AFTER ACTION."

In the extracts which we take to-day from the second volume of Mr. Churchill's war memoirs the main course of his narrative of the military and political events of 1915 is resumed.

After dealing with the landing on the Gallipoli Peninsula and the growing political discontent at home about munitions and other matters, Mr. Churchill begins his account of the crisis of May, 1915, which, starting from the resignation of Lord Fisher, led to the fall of the Government.

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THE War Council of May 14 was sulphurous. We were in presence of the fact that Sir Ian Hamilton's army had been definitely brought to a standstill on the Gallipoli Peninsula, was suspended there in circumstances of peril, was difficult to reinforce, and still more difficult to withdraw. The Fleet had relapsed into passivity.

Lord Fisher had insisted on the withdrawl of the Queen Elizabeth; German submarines were about to enter the Ægean, where our enormous concentrations of shipping necessary to support the Dardenelles operations lay in a very unprotected state. At the same time the failure of the British attacks in France on the Aubers Ridge was unmistakable. The shell crisis had reached its explosion point—the shortage had been disclosed in *The Times* that morning—and behind it marched a political crisis of the first order. The weakness and failure of Russia were becoming every month more evident. Intense anxiety and extreme bad temper, all suppressed under formal demeanour, characterised the discussion.

Kitchener's Complaint.

Lord Kitchener began in a strain of solemn and formidable complaint. He had been induced to participate in the Dardanelles operations on the assurance of the Navy that they would force the passage. Now they had abandoned the attempt. Most particularly had his judgment been affected by the unique qualities of the Que

divisions with which I understood and trusted Sir Ian Hamilton was to be immediately reinforced.

Although there could be very little doubt about what naval reinforcements were needed, I did not want the demands to fall upon Lord Fisher with a shock. I, therefore, went into his room in the evening to talk over the whole position with him. Our conversation was quite friendly. He did not object to any of the particular measures proposed, but, as usual, he did not like the steady and increasing drain on our resources and the inflection given to our campaign by the growing demands of the Dardanelles. I then said to him that it was really not fair for him to obstruct the necessary steps at the Dardanelles and then, if there was a failure, to turn round and say, "I told you so, I was always against it." He looked at me in an odd way and said, "I think you are right—it isn't fair." However, he accepted the minutes and we are parted amicably.

The Italian Crisis.

Into this extraordinary period, when intense situations succeeded each other with dazing rapidity, another event was now to break. Following the method which I had adopted since Lord Fisher came to the Admiralty I resumed work in my room at about 10 o'clock that night. The Italian crisis was at its height. The Italian Government had resigned in consequence of the opposition to Italy entering the war, and this enormous and brilliant event which we had regarded as almost settled more than a fortnight before now appeared once again to be thrown into the melting pot.

A little before midnight the Italian Naval Attaché, an officer ardently devoted to the cause of the Allies, asked to see me. He was accompanied by Admiral Oliver, who had a file of papers. The Naval Attaché said that the uncertainty and convulsions now prevailing in Rome made it vital that the arrangements for naval co-operation which had been conceived a week before in Paris should be brought into immediate effect.

Under these arrangements we were to send *inter alia* four light cruisers to reinforce the Italian Fleet in the Adriatic. These cruisers were to reach Taranto by daybreak on the 18th. The Naval Attaché urged that their arrival should be accelerated. If they could arrive by the morning of the 16th definite naval co-operation between Great Britain and Italy would be an accomplished fact, and this fact might well be decisive.

As I had myself negotiated the Naval Convention with Italy in Paris I was, of course, fully acquainted with every detail. I had procured the First Sea Lord's agreement to all its terms, including the dispatch of the four cruisers. These cruisers had been detailed. Fisher's green initial directing their movement was prominent on the second page of the file. No question of principle was involved by accelerating their departure by forty-eight hours. It did not come within the limits of the working arrangement which Fisher and I had made with each other—viz., to take no important step except in consultation. It never occurred to me for a moment that it could be so viewed, nor did the Chief of the Staff suggest that we should wake up the First Sea Lord. He would begin his letters at about 4 o'clock in the morning and he would get the file then. I, therefore, approved the immediate dispatch of these cruisers and wrote, as I had done in similar cases before, "First Sea Lord to see after action."

"The Spark."

Although in later years when Lord Fisher and I were friends again we never discussed this particular episode, the evidence which I have received from several quarters leaves me in no doubt that this was the spark that fired the train. The old Admiral, waking in the early morning, saw himself confronted again with the minutes proposing the reinforcements for the Dardanelles which he knew he could not resist. He saw himself becoming ever more deeply involved in an enterprise which he distrusted and disliked.

He saw that enterprise quivering on the verge of failure. He saw a civilian Minister, to whom indeed he was attached by many bonds of friendship, becoming every day a hard and stern taskmaster in all that was needed to sustain the hated operation. He saw the furious discontents of the Conservative party at the shell shortage and the general conduct of the war. He saw a Field-Marshal in uniform at the head of the War Office, while he, whose name was a watchword throughout the country, was relegated to a secondary place, and in that place was compelled by arguments and pressures he had never been able to resist, but had never ceased to resent, to become responsible for operations to which he had taken an intense dislike. And then on top of all this, a red ink minute about cruisers for Italy. "First Sea Lord to see after action."

"Fisher has Resigned."

When I awoke the next morning, Saturday, I received no morning letter from the First Sea Lord. This was unusual, for he nearly always wrote me his waking thoughts on the situation. I had to go over to the Foreign Office at about 9 o'clock, and was kept there some time. As I was returning across the Horse Guards' Parade Masterton Smith hurried up to me with an anxious face—"Fisher has resigned, and I think he means it this time." He gave me the following note from the First Sea Lord:—

"May 15, 1915.

"First Lord,—After further anxious reflection I have come to the regretted conclusion I am unable to remain any longer as your colleague. It is undesirable in the public interests to go into details—Jowett said, 'Never explain'—but I find it increasingly difficult to adjust myself to the increasing daily requirements of the Dardanelles to meet your views—as you truly said yesterday. I am in the position of continually vetoing your proposals.

"This is not fair to you, besides being extremely distasteful to me.

"I am off to Scotland at once so as to avoid all questions.

"Yours truly,

"FISHER."

I did not, however, at first take a serious view. I remembered a similar letter couched in terms of the utmost formality earlier in the year on the air raids, and he had threatened or hinted resignation both in letters and in conversation on all sorts of matters, big and small, during the last four or five months. I was pretty sure that a good friendly talk would put matters right. However, when I got back to the Admiralty I found that he had entirely disappeared. He was not in the building; he was not in his house. None of his people knew where he was except that he was going to Scotland at once. He had sent a communication to the other Sea Lords, which they were engaged in discussing at a meeting of their own.

(To be continued to-morrow.)

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MURDERED OFFICER.

PUBLIC FUNERAL TO-DAY.

The funeral of the late Captain Fitzgerald, C.I.D., will take place from Rathfarnham Chapel to Craugh, Fine Forest, this morning. The procession will move off after ten o'clock Mass.

Every member of the Criminal Investigation Department who can be spared from duty will attend; the Dublin Metropolitan Police will be represented by 150 men and band, the Civic Guard by 250 men and band, and the military forces will send a detachment and band.

The remains were removed from St. Bricin's Hospital to Rathfarnham Chapel yesterday.

RUSSIAN FORCES IN TURKESTAN.

ALLAHABAD, Saturday.

The Russian Legation at Kabul has written to the *Pioneer* denying reports of disturbances and concentrations of Communist troops in Turkestan. The *Pioneer*, however, states that it has received accounts of an attack by Russian troops upon the Persian garrison at Dimeh, and declares that there is every reason to believe that the number of Russian troops in Turkestan is far greater than before the war, it being estimated that the troops in Bokhara alone amount to one hundred thousand.—(Reuter.)

SOUTH DUBLIN.

MR. H. KENNEDY'S CANDIDATURE.

HUNGER STRIKE.

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE'S SPEECH.

A very large meeting in support of the candidature of Mr. Hugh Kennedy, Attorney-General, for the South Dublin Parliamentary vacancy, was held in College Green yesterday afternoon. The proceedings began shortly after 3 o'clock, and it became evident that an attempt had been organised to interfere with the proceedings.

When the chairman, Senator Nesbitt, was speaking he had to stop for a few moments while a band, which was followed by a small procession passed, and ten minutes later, while Mr. Mulcahy was eulogising Mr. Kennedy, another band came along Dame street, towards the platform. A large body of Dublin Metropolitan police moved forward to meet the band and the music suddenly ceased. At this stage there was some excitement. Many people thought that there might be trouble and a rush was made towards the advancing crowd. The band, however, did not play again.

Some women who carried placards about the hunger strike gathered in Church lane, and some shouting was heard. A few minutes later cheers from the women in Church lane welcomed the approach from Grafton street direction of another body of women carrying similar cards. Mrs. Despard and Mrs. Gonne McBride were in this group, which marched towards the meeting. The police escorted this procession past the meeting.

THE CHAIRMAN.

The Chairman said that he took it that the policy of Cumann na nGaedheal was to adopt the Treaty as an accepted fact, to work upon that basis, and, taking all the powers that it conferred upon the Irish people, build upon them the foundation of a peaceful, prosperous and contented country.

What was the policy of the Anti-Treaty Party? He saw that Mr. O Mullane was out for certain movements, which would take money—the supplying of better homes for the workers—and social reforms of that kind; that he was against the flotation of a loan, which in the near future, would be placed on the market. Their opponents were against that loan, the proceeds of which were for the building-up of what they had destroyed. Their opponents were against income tax.

If they wanted peace and prosperity in the country they must have a Government, and if they had a Government they must supply it with money. If they did not get that money by means of a loan and by income tax, then it must be obtained by some other means. He asked Mr. O'Mullane, in the case of the establishment of a republican form of government, where he was going to get the money. If he did not get it by this means he would have to tax the working-man in indirect taxation and double the price of his tea and sugar and the price of his pint. He then called on Mr. O Maillie to speak.

Mr. Patrick O Maillie briefly addressed the meeting in Irish.

MINISTER OF DEFENCE.

Mr. Mulcahy having spoken in Irish said that he would not be beginning properly if he did not speak in Irish, because long before he ever came across Mr. Kennedy their candidate had been labouring in a quiet, but eminently successful, way for the Irish language in order that it might get its proper place among them. He wanted them to return Mr. Kennedy for South Dublin with an overwhelming majority. He first met Mr. Kennedy in the Mansion House when they, after the acceptance of the Treaty by the Dail, sat down and realised that by the acceptance of that Treaty they had come into the position in which they could take upon themselves full, complete, and unfettered responsibility for the government of the country.

He remembered Michael Collins saying, "Well, we now have to get a law adviser," and he remembered President Cosgrave's saying that there was only one man that he could recommend, and that was Hugh Kennedy.

Mr. Hugh Kennedy, went on Mr. Mulcahy, had never let them down. He, personally, had never realised until a few days ago how very valuable was the work that Mr. Kennedy had done in connection with their Constitution. After some short experience of Mr. Kennedy, Michael Collins was driven to say, "If we had only had Kennedy when we were discussing the Treaty in London we would have got over very many more difficulties."

Mr. Kennedy came to them as one who would work for Ireland in a constructive way. He was straightforward in his attitude and a man whom they could rely on; and when he took his place in the Dail the electors would not have any fault to find with those who recommended him to them.

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE.

President Cosgrave, who was loudly cheered, said that they wanted to deal with real live issues. During the past 12 months the Government had presented to the people who were causing destruction and disorder the hand of peace, but they had spurned it on every occasion. There was no greater asset in any country than real peace; but those on the other side had never given a real cordial patriotic reply to the Government's offer, and they had no policy in return but one of censure and criticism. (Applause.)

Those present could see going round the city banners with the Red Cross on them calling for the release of the prisoners—to release the men who had caused destruction, death, havoc, and misery in the country. That was what was asked, to release the prisoners in Mountjoy who twelve months ago shot four of their guards, and who had not the courage or the pluck to make a dash for liberty. (Applause.)

"I say," said President Cosgrave, "that these four men have not died in vain, and we are not going to throw away their lives for the sake of a few flappers who are walking about the streets of this city. (Laughter.) Every man and every woman held in jail to-day is held in jail by the laws passed by the representatives of the people in this country. (Hear, hear.) We passed Acts. We stood over every action we took for the past 12 months. We have got the endorsement of the people of the country for them. (Hear, hear.) And now the people of the country are not going to be terrorised or cowed by a few people who posture as patriots, but who are hypocrites." (Applause.)

SAFETY OF LIFE AND PROPERTY.

Those people, continued the President, were in jail because life and property were not safe while they were at large, and they would stay in until life was as safe in this country as it was in any other country in the world. (Hear, hear.)

They had two classes of prisoners—one coming from England and calling themselves Irish, and the others coming from Ireland. But those who came from England and who called themselves Irish recognised English Courts and English authority, while they refused to recognise the authority of the people of Ireland.

These people, the President said, perjured themselves when they said that they were not treated as honest prisoners when in the custody of the Irish Government. (Applause.) The Government had letters and acknowledgments from prisoners which showed that they got treatment second to none given to prisoners in any other country in the world—(hear, hear)—and that was borne out by the Red Cross reports issued.

On one of their die-hard prisoners was found a letter recently asking him to show certain statements to Bretherton, the scribe from the *Morning Post*. "Be sure," the statement went on, "that Bretherton gets this." Those were nice bed-fellows; they had the die-hards in England and the "hard chaws" in Ireland in alliance. Irish political snobs and English political snobs would go well together as a tandem or a pair. (Laughter.)

Dealing with the hunger strike, President Cosgrave said that it was a fraud, for when some of the prisoners were examined recently it was found that they had brown bread in their pockets and pastilles enough to keep a man alive for twenty-four hours. (Laughter.) That was the sort of hunger strike that was going on, and if these people died it was themselves who were sentencing themselves to death, and not the Government.

Austin Stack had started his hunger strike forty-eight hours after the others, when he was shamed by the other prisoners into doing so. Like the Duke of Plaza Toro, he led his army from behind. Mr. de Valera had not yet started the hunger strike. Mr. Stack said that he could not go on hunger strike on account of his digestive organs, but the medical report did not show symptoms of the trouble.

THE RED CROSS.

Dealing with the respect shown by the prisoners to the Red Cross, President Cosgrave referred to the escape of three prisoners from a Red Cross ambulance the previous day while they were going from Mountjoy to Kilmainham. There were no armed men on the car. The prisoners stated they were unable to walk, and when they came to a lonely spot they attacked the doctor in charge and escaped. That was their respect for the Red Cross.

There were people who would say that they had been too generous with these so-called patriots, but he disputed that, sooner or later, they would have to live together on the country, and despite all the damage that had been done, it was not too late for these people to acknowledge that no man, or body of men, was greater than the nation. (Applause.) They wanted help from every man in building up the country. (Hear, hear.)

Referring to Mr. Kennedy's candidature, the President said that they were putting forward one of the greatest men he had ever met, and he would like the people of Dublin to know that there was no man in the country who had a greater claim on the highest judicial position in the country than had Mr. Kennedy; but he preferred to go forward as their candidate. If it were possible for the voice of Michael Collins to speak from the grave, he would recommend Mr. Hugh Kennedy to them—(hear, hear)—owing to his services to the State.

"If," said President Cosgrave, "it was the last word I would utter on this earth, I would ask you here to return this man and shame those people who are opposing him." (Applause.)

Mr. O'Mullane told them that if he were returned he would get them houses. But what had Mr. O'Mullane's forty-four brothers and sisters done, or how many houses had they started to build since they were returned in the country? (Hear, hear.) What attempts had they made to help in the stability and advancement of the State? It was not by talk that General Mulcahy had won the war, nor was it by talk that Mr. Kennedy had lifted the State as high as it was possible for a man to do so.

In conclusion, he asked all to vote for Mr. Kennedy on Thursday. (Applause.)

THE CANDIDATE.

Mr. Hugh Kennedy said that their appeal on the present occasion was to the people, whose minds were turned to work of a constructive character after the orgy of destruction which had taken place in the country during the past year. They had heard the words "a living Republic" bandied about much of late. In modern times a Republic had come to mean a form of government which was democratic, and a democratic government represented the rule of the people by a Government responsible to the people.

In Ireland they had the most enlightened democratic Government that had been established by any people in modern times. The Treaty was a sovereign Act, made by the plenipotentiaries of the sovereign Dail. Those people who denied the *status* of their sovereign State were only the irregular clique speaking in the name of sovereign jealousy. Like children at play, Miss MacSwiney and her companions issued decrees, in which she said that the credit of the Free State would be shaken if her followers gave up drinking alcohol. She also issued decrees as to what theatres they should go to and what papers they should read. If that was the "living Republic" she spoke of he would say it was the "living Miss MacSwiney."

Of course, there was a great deal of fun in that, but it might go too far. These people were a "pest and a public nuisance." They were trying to make a mockery of the country and of the people, and with their dumped guns that they talked of they were trying to damage the prestige of the country at home and abroad. That pestilential nonsense diverted the attention of the people, whose attention should be concentrated on the rebuilding and reconstruction of the country. In the present election they had an opportunity of standing up to that, of overthrowing it, and of letting those people pass into oblivion.

MR. O'MULLANE'S PROMISES.

Mr. O'Mullane asked them to leave his seat vacant in the Dail. How, then, was he going to get the houses he promised except by taking from one at the point of the gun to give to the other? Mr. O'Mullane made one promise that he could fulfil, and that was leisure and plenty of it for everyone. The Government with which he was associated stood for the gospel of work and the necessity of finding work for all who were willing to do it. During the last week their opponents had rattled through the constituency the bones of an unfortunate young man who was found shot in the mountains. They had done that to cover the atrocities for which they had stood in the last year. Dublin, he continued, was a city which, perhaps, had the best juries in the world, and speaking to the mass from which those juries were drawn, as one who had registered his abhorrence of that tragedy—and everyone had done that—he asked them to hold their judgment as jurors and not allow the matter to be decided on an election platform.

He stood there with the Government determined that there should be in the State but one Government, one Parliament, and one Army. By voting for him on Thursday they would "silence the tyranny of these women with their fast days and feast days and their flapper pickets."

CRUDE MELODRAMA.

Mr. Blythe declared that the crude melodrama that was going on in Mountjoy Prison had been got up solely to create a wave of sentimental feeling against Mr. Hugh Kennedy. "When the election is over," he said, "there will be no further need for the hunger strike—they will neither die nor get out."

The people of Dublin, he went on, would do a good day's work for the country by returning Mr. Kennedy as their representative. If the people in the present election stood behind the Government no nation would have any fear of entering into a bargain with them, and so they could pay their debts. They were now approaching a time when their credit would be very important to them. If they could not borrow at a reasonable rate it would mean that a heavy load of taxation would rest on the people of the country. It would mean that the people would pay for it in their tobacco, their income tax, their tea and sugar.

The rate at which they would be able to borrow would depend on the indication they gave on Thursday next of the stability and security of the Government. If Thursday next showed the people to be wobbling the people would have to pay for it. He wanted Mr. Kennedy to get such a majority as would show that the Irish people stood behind the Government, and would not be cowed or bullied.

Professor Magennis said that their opponents declared the Oath to be the only obstacle to their acceptance of the people's will. He had swallowed the Oath twice. In the Oath they promised to be honest men, and that was what stuck in their opponents' throats. (Laughter.)

Senator Dr. Oliver Gogarty said that they saw posted on all the walls in the city the words, "No Surrender." Surrender to what? he asked. Was it not to the will of the citizens of their country? He suggested that there was no rational alternative to the election of Mr. Hugh Kennedy.

Mr. Dolan asked the people to go to the polls on Thursday and give the knock-out blow to irregularism.

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY.

The nomination of candidates for the National University vacant seat in the Dail will take place at the office of the Registrar, 49 Merrion square, between 10 and 12 o'clock to-day. So far only two candidates are named—Mr. P. McGilligan and Miss Agnes O'Farrelly.

Sir Thomas Inskip, Solicitor-General, speaking at Bristol yesterday, contradicted a newspaper statement that he was about to become a judge.

FREE STATE FEMALE WRITING ASSISTANTS (OPEN COMPETITION). Exam. Announced for December. Special Day, Evening and Correspondence Classes now working at SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE DARDANELLES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It has become almost customary to blame Mr. Winston Churchill for the disaster of the Dardanelles. His articles, however controverted in detail, justify him. But the Germans knew, the Turks knew, and before the end of 1918 many of the British Army, if not many of the general public, knew how near he was to an amazing success.

I was with the Division (5th Cavalry) which occupied Aleppo and Northern Syria in October, 1918. Many of our officers were in touch, and became quite intimate, with the European families settled there. These in turn had known intimately German and Turkish officers during the war, and they assured us, with repeated emphasis, that, had the Allies risked losing a ship or two more—had they continued the naval operations begun on March 18th—success infallibly would have followed. Mr. Churchill on March 23rd submitted a telegram to be sent (it never was) to Admiral de Robeck, in which he said: "We know the Turks are short of ammunition, and supply of mines is limited." These German and Turkish officers asserted emphatically that the Turks were actually at the end of their ammunition and mines, that there was a panic in Constantinople, and that, had the Allies pressed the attack for no more than half an hour longer, Turkey was smashed.

The main results must be obvious. Bulgaria would have joined the Allies. Greece would not have hesitated. The war would probably have ended within a year, with incalculable saving of lives and money, and much misery prevented to the world.—Yours, etc.,

"FIVE-CAV."

Co. Galway, October 20th, 1923.

THE REPUBLICAN PRISONERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Mr. William O'Brien's letter of the 16th inst. is, except for its abusive portions, very vague. In the last paragraph he summarises his opinion that, unless certain things happen, the next election will complete the lesson not already sufficiently emphasised; but he does not indicate what that lesson is. He might explain this, and say if he wants another sixteen months of bloodshed and burning. He might also state whether his house was destroyed or escaped; and, instead of dealing with the Tories in Dublin, he could give his views about Mallow Viaduct (which is nearer home for him), now that his silence is broken.—Yours, etc.,

"A BUSY BODY."

Dublin, October 20th, 1923.

DUBLIN STREET TRAFFIC.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—If the trams passing the Provost's House were to reverse their stopping places it would do away with about 50 *per cent.* of the present traffic congestion. The vehicles coming along Nassau street from Dawson street, etc., divide, some going up Grafton street, others Suffolk street, and the remainder to College Green. At present all this traffic has to pass the stationary tram, whereas, should the above suggestion be adopted, only the remainder will have to pass. The outward bound trams stopping in Nassau street would cease to interfere with the majority of the traffic, which goes up Grafton street.—Yours, etc.,

"ENGINEER."

Dublin, October 20th, 1923.

FREE STATE TELEPHONES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Now that the Postmaster-General has succeded in putting his house in order so far as the colour of our pillar boxes, our postmen's uniforms, and telegram and envelopes are concerned, I wonder if anything could be done to have the outdoor effects seen to—*i.e.*, telephones, telegrams, and letters. The line which mostly concerns me is the trunk line to Dublin from a small town "somewhere in County Kildare." On a two-mile stretch 46 insulators have been broken for the past nine months, and in one place the telephone lines are supported by trees. The result is that, although I am being charged, approximately, £15 a year for my telephone instrument, I get on an average one day's service *per* week, that usually being Sunday, when it is not required.—Yours, etc.,

"FEAR GAN AINM."

October 20th, 1923.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.

ATTACKS ON GOVERNMENT.

Several speakers addressed a meeting in College Green, Dublin, last night, in favour of the candidature of Mr. Michael O'Mullane, the Sinn Fein nominee for South Dublin.

The meeting was preceded by a torchlight procession, which passed through several of the streets on the South side of the city. A pipers' band marched in front, and there was a good following. A few interrupters, who shouted "Up the Free State," were howled down.

The candidate said that the rats had come out of their holes, and addressed a meeting on the same spot earlier in the evening. The present election would give the people an opportunity of passing that vote of censure which the Government deserved so much. Mr. Kennedy, the Government candidate, was the Attorney-General for the King, and he had never done a day's work for Ireland in his life.

Madame Markievicz, who presided, told the people that there were many ways by which they could make the Government futile, and one of these was to stop paying income tax.

Miss Nellie Hoare complained of the "scandalous" way in which the working man had been treated by the "Capitalistic Government."

Miss O Mullane, sister of the candidate, reminded the electors that the polling day would fall on the anniversary of the death of Terence MacSwiney. That fact, she said, should serve to bring before the people the issues which were at stake, and make them realise the terrible consequence which would follow the renunciation of the principles of the man who had died for liberty.

The Rev. Father Mooney, Dublin, also spoke.

Meetings were addressed earlier in the evening at Thomas street and Brunswick street.

PRESIDENT HARDING MEMORIAL.

THREE MILLION DOLLAR SCHEME.

WASHINGTON (By Mail).

Plans for the inauguration in the near future of a nation-wide campaign to raise 3,000,000 dollars to preserve the name and memory of the late President Harding were approved at the first meeting of the trustees of the Harding Memorial Association.

The Association trustees intend to utilise the memorial fund for the erection of a mausoleum and construction of a memorial park in Marion, the home of the late President; the purchase and maintenance of the Harding Home in Marion, and the building near by of a structure to house many mementos of Mr. Harding's life, and the endowment of a chair for the teaching of political science in some State University, probably Ohio State University at Columbus.—(Reuter.)

AUSTRIAN ELECTIONS PASS OFF QUIETLY.

VIENNA, Sunday.

Save for a few trifling incidents, polling in the elections to the National Assembly to-day passed off quietly, although about 80 per cent. of the electorate went to the polls.—(Reuter.)

RECENT WILLS.

Mr. Charles Austin Burroughs, of Belmont, Taunton, Somerset, and the Junior Constitutional Club, who died on September 12th, has left £45,671 3s. 4d., with net personalty £40,558 14s. 5d. The testator directs that a doctor or surgeon shall sever a main artery, or the spinal cord of his body, and shall be paid 10 guineas; and all his horses are to be destroyed by A. G. Saunders, veterinary surgeon, of Taunton, by means of the humane killer, for which operation he is to be paid 10 guineas.

A CHARITABLE JEW.

Mr. Alexander Samuels, of Astoria, Upper Park road, Kingston Hill, retired diamond merchant, who died on September 22nd, has left property of the value of £29,561 9s. 1d. The testator gives sums varying from £5,000 to £100 to a number of Jewish and other charities in London.

MR. G. B. SHAW ON SERIAL PLAYS.

A COMPARISON WITH THE CINEMA.

Mr. Bernard Shaw has been making some characteristic comments on Shakespeare and Dumas and Charlie Chaplin, *apropos* the prophet of "Back to Methuselah," at Birmingham.

Mr. Bernard Shaw (says the *Observer*), interrogated as to whether his Birmingham experience suggests that the public can be educated to serial plays, demanded, somewhat testily, why people reserved all that solicitude for the public.

"What difficulty is there for the public in a serial play?" he asked. "A serial play gives it no more trouble and costs it no more than the same number of inconsecutive plays, and is far more interesting. There is nothing new about serial plays. Shakespeare gave us one serial of four plays: 'Henry V.' in three parts plus 'Richard III.,' and one in two parts, 'Henry IV.' Wagner's 'Ring' is a serial of four dramas. The cinema is up to the neck in serials. What man has ever seen the whole of 'Monte Cristo' or 'Felix the Cat'? The Chaplin films constitute a serial biography of one hero. Look at the Sherlock Holmes series and the serial orgies of crimes for small boys which have done so much damage to the reputation of the cinema! The public has no more objection to dramatic serials than it has to the great serial novels of Dumas and Trollope."

"Then you think we are in for a fashion of serial plays in the theatre?"

"Certainly not. The Shakespeare serials are never performed as serials. The 'Ring' is given as a serial only under special circumstances."

"But you said that the public likes serials."

"Yes, but I did not say that the public performed them. You forget the unfortunate people behind the scenes. In the cinema they do not matter, because the preparation of a film may go on for months practically without regard to time or expense, the performances being a mechanical reproduction, occurring simultaneously in thousands of cities at a negligible cost. That is why you have your serial 'Monte Cristos' and the like on the screen.

"MY SERIAL."

"But the theatre is quite another pair of shoes. Take, for example, what has just happened in Birmingham with my 'Methuselah' serial. They had to rehearse and prepare scenery and costumes for five plays in what would be considered a short time for a single play in London. The manager had to risk five failures in a single week without the possibility of making more than is expected from one success. And yet some journalists are writing as if the theatre were about to be inundated with serial plays, and express pity for the poor public, for whose sake this prodigious effort and risk and sacrifice of lucrative alternatives was made. You might as well pity the author for having had the successful first performances crammed into four days instead of spread precariously over seven years—an experience unprecedented in the history of the theatre."

THE REAL MANAGER.

"But it happened, Mr. Shaw. You cannot deny that. Why should it not happen again?"

"Because Barry Jacksons do not grow on the bushes; that is why. The manager was the pivot on which the whole thing turned. He designed the theatre, he built the theatre, he endowed the theatre out of his private fortune, he managed the business of the theatre so capably and enterprisingly that he kept the strain on his private fortune within bearable limits, and he directed it artistically with a judgment and devotion that has convinced his exceedingly hammer-headed fellow-townsmen that he must be the most extravagant and unpractical of dreamers instead of the ablest and most public-spirited hard worker in Birmingham. The production of 'Methuselah' was a feat possible only to such a manager and such a company, and in such an atmosphere of enthusiastic artistic co-operation as he has created. And it was not even a *tour de force* for him: he took it in his stride, with no great straining of his routine, and with results that astonished me by their artistic perfection. Such work as 'Methuselah' goes to him inevitably because there is nowhere else for it to go. I can find elsewhere a manager with experience and traditions, another with business capacity, another with artistic enthusiasm, another with artistic judgment (they are not necessarily associated), another full of civic spirit, another capable of understanding the value of my work, and another—perhaps—with more than eighteenpence of his own in his pocket. But the combination of all these in one man is almost a miracle, and until miracles become common you need have no fear of an epidemic of serials, Shavian or other, in the theatre."

NORWAY AND RUSSIA.

FIRST BIG BUSINESS TRANSACTION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CHRISTIANIA, Sunday.

The Norwegian Government, it is announced, has concluded a contract with the Soviet Government for the purchase of 20,000 tons of rye for 4,500,000 Norwegian kroner. The rye is to be delivered during the winter and paid for in gold.

This is the first big transaction between Norway and Russia, although some small quantities of grain have been purchased before and some small private deals have been carried out.

Sweden is now doing practically no business with Russia. A year ago the Swedes delivered some locomotives for the Russian railways, but the business was unsatisfactory, and payment is said to be still uncompleted. At any rate, there is no disposition among Swedish business men to try and extend their relations. I am told that they consider the "graft" exacted by the Russian purchasing agents too high, taking all the profit out of the business.

INTERNATIONAL LABOUR.

THE NEW HEADQUARTERS AT GENEVA.

GENEVA, Sunday.

The first stone of the new building designed for the headquarters of the International Labour Office was laid this afternoon. Mr. Albert Thomas, in the name of the International Labour Office, thanked the Federal Council for their generous gift, and Sir Eric Drummond, Secretary-General of the League of Nations, also expressed his gratitude for the magnificent gift of the Council.

Sir Eric emphasised the fact that the experience of the League of Nations and of the International Labour Office showed that the selection of the headquarters of the League indicated in the Treaty of Versailles was a wise one. Nowhere would a more favourable atmosphere be found for fruitful collaboration, either between nations or between different categories of humanity.—(Reuter.)

WIRELESS SERVICE WITH CANADA.

MONTREAL, Friday.

The cabled despatches announcing the proposals of the British Post Office to the Imperial Economic Conference that the wireless service with Canada should be conducted by the British Government stations is causing some concern to the Canadian Marconi Company. The President of the latter concern, Mr. C. G. Greenshields, in an interview, said:—"If the British Government persists in this proposal, the Canadian Marconi Company will be forced to abandon its plans for the construction of two large stations in Canada. We have received licences from the Canadian Government for the construction of a trans-Atlantic station at Montreal and a trans-Pacific station at Vancouver, and we are now awaiting licences from England. The attitude of the British Post Office will result in depriving the Canadian public of an added system of rapid communication with the Motherland and Australia."—(Reuter.)

Mr. Leonard Raven Hill, the well-known *Punch* artist, and Miss Marion Jean Lyon were married on Saturday at the Church of Columba, Pont street, London.

The Press, the watchdog of our liberties, is now in a chronic state of rabies.—Mr. A. P. Marshall.

HOW PAPYRUS LOST.

(Continued from Page 7, Column 4.)

and let out Zev just sufficiently to maintain his advantage. More than once it looked as if Donoghue would bridge the gap, and it was not until Papyrus had rounded the far turn that the colt showed signs of being affected by the heavy going. From this point Zev appeared to devour the distance with sweeping strides, and a mighty roar greeted him as he went under the wire six lengths ahead of Papyrus.

His time of 2 mins. 35 and 2-5 secs. is not remarkable, but was a good performance considering the heavy state of the track. There were no official starting prices, as betting is illegal in America, but at the start of the race Zev was favourite at 5 to 4 on, even money being laid against Papyrus.

Mr. Jarvis expressed the opinion that his charge would have done better on a faster course. "I have never seen such slop on English courses," he said, "and it bothered Papyrus not a little." In presenting the gold cup to Mr. H. F. Sinclair, Zev's owner, Major-General Hines paid a warm tribute to the good fellowship and sportsmanship of the British in sending Papyrus to America. The intermediate times were as follows:—

Quarter mile—25 4-5 seconds.
Half-mile—50 2-5 seconds.
Three-quarters—1 minute 15 seconds.
Mile—1 minute 40 4-5 seconds.
Mile and a quarter—2 minutes 7 3-5 seconds.
Mile and a half—2 minutes 35 2-5 seconds.

These disclose that Zev made the fastest time during the first half mile.

EXPERT COMMENT.

"THE BEST HORSE WON," SAYS DONOGHUE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

Donoghue, after his defeat in yesterday's race said:—"I have no excuse to offer. The best horse won."

Mr. Basil Jarvis, the trainer of Papyrus, said that he also had no excuses to make, though he regrets the defeat of the English horse. "Horse and jockey did their best, but Zev was a splendid horse, and they had been fairly beaten."

Everybody in America has been wonderfully kind, added Mr. Jarvis, but he said that he was glad he was returning home.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

Sande is high in praise of Donoghue's horsemanship, and asserts that Zev moved into the lead without being urged, and that he at all times felt confident of the superiority of his mount.—(Reuter.)

THE OWNER'S VIEW.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Sunday.

"I am naturally disappointed, but am certain Papyrus and Donoghue did their best," said Mr. Ben Irish, owner of Papyrus, when notified by telephone at his home near Peterborough of his horse's defeat by Zev. "I had hoped that the soft going reported would be favourable to Papyrus. Papyrus certainly will not race again in America. He will return as scheduled on the Aquitania."

Mr. Ben Irish added that Papyrus had had no real gallop since he landed in America, and that he had eaten four pounds of corn less per day since reaching the United States. To have beaten Zev he would have had to have been a stone better.

"The result is only what I prophesied and fully expected," declared Mr. J. B. Joel, who released Donoghue from his engagement, so that he could ride in America. "One horse was fully trained and acclimatised, the other was not. The contest was a good thing in the interest of sport, but in future events I suggest that time be given the horse in a strange country and climate to get used to the atmosphere and strange surroundings, which naturally affect a high bred animal."

Other opinions on the race are as follow:—

SIR E. HULTON:—"I have always said that it is a farce. No horse has any chance to be in condition or fit to race after he has been standing on his feet, unable to take exercise for a week, and to be on a steamer in a hurricane."

SIR ROBERT JARDINE:—"It was a mad thing to expect a horse to run well after such a voyage. It could not possibly be in its best form."

MR. E. S. TATTERSALL:—"In my view, the whole expedition was extremely foolish. In the first place it was necessary to keep Papyrus in a box on board the ship for about five days, and then after that he had to race on a strange and entirely new and extremely difficult ground."

SIR E. HULTON'S CHALLENGE.

Sir Edward Hulton, in an interview on Saturday night, said:—"I will pick an English horse of the same age to give Zev a stone if he will come over here and race under the same conditions as Papyrus did, and back the English horse to win for £1,000."

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S COMMENT.

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, Sunday.

Mr. Lloyd George, commenting on Zev's victory, said:—"Papyrus ran under a great handicap in being brought across the ocean to a new climate and having to run on a dirt track. However, it was a great race, and Englishmen will be sportsmen enough to see it was a fair test."—(Reuter.)

THE ANGLO-AMERICAN DEBT.

AN HISTORIC DOCUMENT.

The *Yorkshire Post* publishes to-day a letter (hitherto undisclosed) written by ex-President Wilson while still in office to Mr. Lloyd George, as Prime Minister. This letter, which refused the consent of America to the inter-Allied debt settlement proposed by the British Coalition Government, has a vital bearing upon the controversy which has arisen regarding the necessity and the wisdom of the Baldwin settlement of the Anglo-American debt question.

In it the American President says:—"You will recall that suggestions looking to the cancellation or exchange of the indebtedness of Great Britain to the United States were made to me when I was in Paris. Like suggestions were again made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer in the early part of the present year. The United States Government, by its duly authorised representatives, has promptly and clearly stated its unwillingness to accept such suggestions each time they have been made, and has pointed out in detail the considerations which caused its decision. The views of the United States Government have not changed, and it is not prepared to consent to the remission of any part of the debt of Great Britain to the United States. Any arrangements the British Government may make with regard to the debt owed to it by France, or by the other Allied Governments, should be made in the light of the position now, and heretofore, taken by the United States, and the United States, in making any arrangements with other Allied Governments regarding their indebtedness to the United States—and none are now contemplated beyond the funding of indebtedness and the postponement of payment of interest—will do so with the confident expectation of the payment in due course of the debt owed the United States by Great Britain. It is felt that the funding of these demand obligations of the British Government will do more to strengthen the friendly relations between America and Great Britain than would any other course of dealing with the same.

"The long delay which has occurred in the funding of the demand obligations is already embarrassing the Treasury, which will find itself compelled to begin to collect back and current interest, if speedy progress is not made with the funding. Unless arrangements are completed for funding such loans and, in that connection, for the deferring of interest, in the present state of opinion here there is likely to develop a dangerous misunderstanding. I believe it to be highly important that a British representative, with proper authority, proceed to Washington without delay to arrange to carry out the obligation of the British Government to convert its demand obligations held by our Treasury into long time obligations."

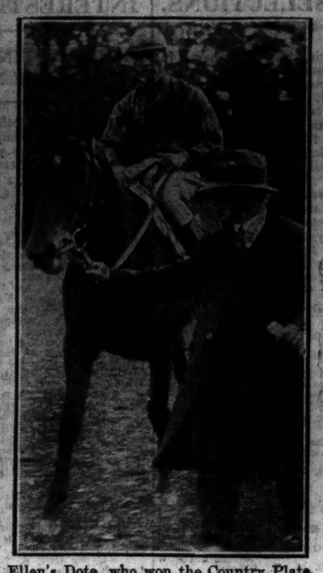
The *Yorkshire Post* is of the opinion that the publication of this letter, which is of the first historical importance, should end decisively the controversy as

PHŒNIX PARK RACES: GOLF: RUGBY: BELFAST INTERNATIONAL.

A Young Racegoer—Mrs. Maynard Sinton and her Daughter at Phœnix Park.

No Joke Winning Moderate Plate.

Santa Decca being led in by Miss Maher.



Ellen's Dote, who won the Country Plate.

Mr. F. S. Myerscough, the well-known Owner, at Phœnix Park.

A Good Mix in the Malone v. Palmerston Match.

A fine Pitch by Mr. Frazer, of the Royal Dublin Golf Club.

Civil Service v. Old College.

A Line-out during the Malone v. Palmerston Match at Milltown.

Monkstown v. North of Ireland—Brand leads a rush.

Monkstown Scrum Half Stopping a Forward Rush.

Miller tackled by Nelligan.

THE ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL AT BELFAST.

Captain Kidd, one of the competitors for the Coldstream Guards Cup at Dollymount on Saturday.

Wadsworth Clears the English Goal.

Croft Scores the Winning Goal for Ireland.

Mr. Kevin E. O'Duffy, Captain Royal Dublin Golf Club

Dublin University Harriers on their first run of the season.

North of Ireland and Monkstown Teams, with Referee (Mr. Rowlands).

PEACE OF THE NORTH.

GOOD FEELING AMONG ALL CLASSES.

SIR J. CRAIG VISITS PORTADOWN.

Sir James Craig, Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, paid his first official visit to Portadown on Saturday afternoon, and was the principal speaker at a largely-attended meeting held in the Town Hall under the auspices of the local Unionist Associations.

Major D. G. Shillington, M.P., who presided, said that the Unionists of Armagh, a border county, rejoiced at what their Prime Minister had said on his recent tour along the other border counties. They wanted him to know that they were determined to hold on to what they had got.

Lady Craig, who was cordially greeted, said that Portadown had got a great reputation for loyalty and devotion to the cause. The Women Unionists' Associations had set up a sub-committee, in which Portadown was represented by Mrs. McDonald, who was one of their most valuable members. This committee was considering re-organisation and a scheme of work for the winter. The Association was formed to uphold Unionist principles, and they intended to do their very best to preserve the link that bound the whole of the six counties to Great Britain. (Applause.)

THE PREMIER'S SPEECH.

Sir James Craig, who was received with cheers, said that when they returned Mr. Best and Major Shillington to represent them in the Northern Parliament they did the right thing, and he could only express the desire that when they reverted to single-member constituencies they would see that these two representatives were sent back again with a message that the people were unchanged in their loyalty and affection. (Applause.)

Referring to the boundary question, Sir James said that Ulster was satisfied with her position; Ulster was still prepared to carry on as she had done in the past as an integral part of Great Britain and the Empire, and the Act of 1920 was the Act under which they would carry on, and under no other Act. (Applause.)

Sir James then paid a tribute to the former leaders of Ulster Unionism, and said that but for the leadership of Lord Carson, whose example he would follow, they would not be there that day in peace, comfort, and comparative prosperity.

"So far as the future of our beloved province is concerned," he proceeded, "I will not be satisfied until we are literally the most brilliant gem in the Imperial Crown."

There was a great deal of uphill work yet to be done, but they were getting on, and he believed in his heart that there was a wonderful future for the people of that province But that could only be brought about by united effort, and by bearing in mind that each generation should shoulder its own responsibilities.

FINANCE.

As they were aware, the Northern Government was charged with all the duties of governing the province, and it had its own finances to work out. He was not tempted by those who suggested that in this particular year they should branch out into schemes that would impose a burden upon the future. He had a "holy horror" of that splendid tight little community running into debt. He believed that the secret of their success was prudent finance, bearing in mind that incurring debt to solve some of the difficulties of the moment was only hanging round the neck of future generations the responsibility of paying yearly the interest upon that debt and sinking fund in order to have it wiped out. Therfore, he would prefer that each year should bear its own financial burdens.

Northern Ireland to-day was in a more satisfactory financial position than any other country in the world. (Applause.) They had no debt, and every year they had been able to put down a comparatively satisfactory balance in their favour. So long as he had the honour to lead the Ulster people and represent them as Prime Minister he proposed that they should follow these lines in order that each generation should have the full benefits. (Applause.)

AWFUL RESPONSIBILITY.

When he talked about Northern Ireland, he referred to all the people inside that area who would share in their just laws and in their prosperity. (Applause.) There was no such thing in their midst as Catholic disability to-day. The foundation of the Orange Institution remained because the whole institution was built upon civil and religious liberty to all. He emphasised that because he desired to say what an awful responsibility would rest upon any man or any body of men who attempted, either directly or indirectly, to upset the peace that they had gained in their midst. Let no man say one word or perpetrate one deed that would start that sordid trouble from which they had just emerged.

He was glad to say from his knowledge and observation that the peace that now existed between all classes was better than it had been for years, and he prayed God daily that this splendid state of affairs might continue in their midst.

He had had a fairly troublesome time, but all through he had borne in mind that the loyalists of Ulster were at his back. Whether he was in London or Belfast they were never out of his thoughts. Sometimes his friends spoke of "the terrible sacrifice James Craig made in coming over here and destroying his political career in London." But they did not say that was his desire, for there was no people he was prouder to have the leadership of than his own folk at home. (Applause.)

So long as the people of Northern Ireland were satisfied with his leadership, so long as they trusted him he would never desert them. (Applause.)

Lieut.-Colonel Sir William Allen, D.S.O., M.P., referring to the manifesto recently issued by the Roman Catholic Bishops whose dioceses cover Northern Ireland, said that their action was tantamount to "throwing a bombshell into the camp of the six county area."

TIPPERARY FARMERS AND THE ELECTIONS.

INTRICACIES OF VOTING.

At a meeting of the Executive of the North Tipperary Farmers' Association at Roscrea, the Secretary reported that £100 was still required to meet the last Parliamentary election expenses.

Some of the members expressed the opinion that the intricacies of proportional representation militated against the farmers' candidates, as many electors stopped after having voted for the Government candidate. Other speakers said that they thought too many farmers' candidates had been put forward in the country.

The Executive also discussed the abolition of Rural District Councils, and the opinion was expressed that the work of the county would be better done by one body. If a scheme for the sale of the labourers' cottages could be carried the main function of the Rural Councils would be ended.

BAND CONTEST AT MANCHESTER.

FIRST PRIZE GOES TO NEWRY.

The annual band contest at Bellevue, Manchester, resulted as follows:—St. Joseph's, Newry, 1st; British Legion, York, 2nd; Ellerman Wilson Line, Hull, 3rd; Droylsden, Manchester, 4th; Adamson Military, Dukinfield, Cheshire, 5th. The test piece was "Fingal's Cave."

DUBLIN UNITED CAMPAIGN.

"Other things every fellow should know" was the subject of an address given by "Gipsy" Pat Smith at a men's meeting in the Metropolitan Hall, Dublin, yesterday afternoon. The hall and galleries were thronged.

In the morning Mr. Smith preached at Harcourt street Baptist Church to a large congregation. Meetings—open to everybody—were held at 6.30 and 8.15 p.m.

The mission will be continued up to and including Thursday evening next.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

THE PAPYRUS MATCH.

ZEV'S EASY VICTORY.

CONCERTINA WINS LINGFIELD AUTUMN OAKS.

From Our Travelling Correspondent.

LONDON, Sunday Night.

It is not necessary to dwell at any great length on the defeat of Papyrus at Belmont Park yesterday, for the idea of the match has been distasteful from the moment it was first suggested. It is, doubtless, very pleasant to the principals to look back on the immense interest which the contest excited in the States, and the hundreds of thousands of dollars that the American public paid to see it. That is a nice juicy melon for the cutting. Everybody concerned has doubtless done very well out of it, and it is to be hoped that they are satisfied with it all.

It is not very pleasant to people on this side of the Atlantic, however, to see a Derby winner made to look worse than a plater. It was manifest to everyone who could sift out the wheat from the chaff in the cabled reports from New York that Papyrus, as might have been expected, was in no condition to do himself anything like justice. He had had a very bad crossing. He pulled up sore after having done work a few times on the mud and rock track, and had never had a real gallop from the time he was beaten at Doncaster until he was saddled yesterday.

One has to sympathise a little with Jarvis in having had to run the horse at all in order to comply with the contracts. If it had been in England neither he nor any other trainer would have dreamt of pulling out an animal for an important race under such conditions. The result was the obvious one that Papyrus could never even attempt to make a race of it and was beaten from the word "Go." I notice that Sir Edward Hulton offers to pick an English horse of the same age to give Zev a stone if he will come over here and race under the same conditions as Papyrus, and back the English horse to win for £10,000. That would indeed be easy money were the owner of Zev to accept the challenge. They are talking in America of making an event—I will not call it a "race"—such as yesterday's an annual thing. It is earnestly to be hoped that no other owner on this side will "fall for" such a thing, at least not with a Derby winner, and I should say that it is extremely unlikely.

What we would like to see now is the Americans bringing their best long-distance performer, Exterminator, over to the Curragh and running him against Navan Lass.

There is one good thing—and one only—to be said about yesterday's match. It has undoubtedly given an immense stimulus to popular interest in horse-racing in the United States—a country where, strange to say, racing does not flourish. The match apparently brought thousands of people to Belmont Park who do not ordinarily visit a racecourse. Anything that stirs up the interest of the public in racing is good, because it enlarges its scope and means a better demand for bloodstock. In this respect the match has served a useful purpose; and having said this much for it we can, in America's most popular catch phrase, "forget it."

CAMBRIDGESHIRE PROSPECTS.

We lost the Cesarewitch in an international contest by a very narrow margin, and the French people tell us that we are still more likely to lose the Cambridgeshire. I do know, however, that the remarkable performances of the three-year-old Dumas during the last month have got the Epinard people thinking. This was the sort of contingency—a comparatively unknown, but improving, three-year-old at the bottom of the handicap—of which they were not unmindful, and in Mr. George Hardy's good colt it has taken very concrete form. Epinard has to give exactly 3st. to Dumas, who has won four races off the reel in most convincing fashion, although this may be reduced three or four pounds by declaring over-weight in order to allow the boy Richards to ride. It is a very formidable task that the French colt is set, to give so much away to one of his own age who has shown such brilliant form, and who, were the handicap to be re-made to-morrow, would be set to carry fully a stone more than he will actually carry in the race. The only thing to be said against the colt is that he is not a lightning-like beginner, and lost a race at Doncaster through making a bad start. Still, the son of Marten and Judea is a very formidable Cambridgeshire candidate, and should he and Epinard be anywhere together when the horses pass the bushes it will be odds on the light weight.

Last week at Newmarket I noticed that Mr. Gilpin was paying a good deal of attention to Town Guard, who has been going very well lately. Though it is far too much to expect that Town Guard will be his old brilliant self by next Wednesday week I would not be entirely surprised to find that on the Cambridgeshire day, if he continues to go on well, the Clarehaven stable was not entirely without hope of him.

THE CLAIMS OF PHAROS.

There is one of his own age in at the same weight in Pharos who has undeniable claims to be considered as a likely winner of the Cambridgeshire. He was not quite ready last week when he ran Stratford to a length at four pounds in the Select Stakes, and he may well emulate the example of Re-Echo, who ran second to Stratford in the same race last year before going on to win the Cambridgeshire. When the weights appeared the one I took as most likely to beat Epinard was Cos, but the filly has never gone too strong in the market. She was taken to Newmarket last week, but did not run, although she was brought into the paddock. Anyhow, Mr. R. C. Dawson is in a very strong position with her and Legality in the race, each with 7st. 13lb. Legality's was a very fine performance last week when only beaten a neck by Ellangowan in that great race in which Twelve Pointer and Poisoned Arrow also took part, the four running locked together all the way. That was splendid form, and the grey colt ran home with the greatest gameness.

Stratford has touched a shortish price in the betting. We all know of what he is capable when he does his best, but in a race like the Cambridgeshire, with a score and more starters and a long delay at the post, he is more likely than not to turn sulky and refuse to struggle in the race, as he has so often done before. It is difficult, therefore, to consider him too seriously as a betting proposition.

Martin Quirke came from Ireland to ride Rath Duth at Lingfield yesterday in the Grinstead Handicap. Mr. McCann's colt started favourite, and was in the lead a quarter of a mile from home, but failed to run into a place. The going was rather treacherous in parts, and the jockey was not able to get the horse on to what is called "the Shepherd's Path" on the stand side, where it was much firmer than in the centre of the course. Kepplestone took the lead from him, and was then challenged by Glastonbury. Close to the winning post he swerved a little under Beary, and Glastonbury beat him a trifle cleverly. Glastonbury is another of the many good winners in England this season sired by Glasgerion. He carried the colours of the Armenian gentleman, Mr. Galstaun, who has not been with us this season indulging in his tremendous gambles on selling plates.

It came as no great surprise to see Teresina beaten in the Autumn Oaks, although she was favourite; for, through Tranquil, Concertina had the beating of her at 7lbs., if she ran generously. Both fillies had had severe races last week—Teresina in the Cesarewitch and Concertina against Tranquil—so both were at the same disadvantage. Teresina did not seem to be able to sustain the pace in the last quarter of a mile, and Hulme had been hard at her for some time. Concertina came away in the most generous fashion when Bullock asked her, and won easily, her stable companion, Becka, filling second place.

Hasty Catch looked an obvious good thing in the October Nursery, but the support for the King's Mosaic and Cappawhite kept her easy to back at 7 to 2. She beat Mosaic without an effort. The very big half-sister to Marten had made a great impression in her races previous to her defeat at Doncaster, and her success paid another tribute to the merits of Plack and Tuscar Rock, who finished in front of her at Doncaster.

Captain Bell told me yesterday that Little Marten does not go over to run in the Irish Cesarewitch, and I have not been able so far to find any English-trained candidates engaged at the Curragh this week which are being sent.

GALTEE MORE.

AUSTRALIAN RACING.

CAULFIELD RACECOURSE, VICTORIA, Saturday.

The race for the Caulfield Cup, over a course of one and a-half miles, was run here to-day. Result:

WYNETTE (Mr. S. Torr) ... 1
BASINGWOLD (Mr. W. Marks) ... 2
YAGAMUNDA (Mr. W. L. Winter Irving) ... 3

PHŒNIX PARK.

FOUR FAVOURITES SUCCESSFUL.

H. H. BEASLEY'S TREBLE.

DOUBLE EVENT FOR MR. PEARD.

Backers would have every reason to be pleased with their experience at Phœnix Park, where four first favourites caught the judge's eye and the winners of the other two races also commanded considerable support. Followers of Harry Beasley's mounts, in particular, had a very good day, that accomplished horseman being thrice successful in the saddle, whilst M. Wing scored a couple of times. Two of Beasley's wins were gained on horses trained by Mr. J. H. H. Peard, who brought off a nice double event with the aid of Santa Decca and Slane Castle.

As was presaged in the wagering on the Moderate Plate that race fell an easy prey to the Heath-trained No Joke, who, after Flying Gnat had momentarily looked like beating him, drew out half-way down the straight with the verdict in safe keeping. In the absence of Valclar, Shy Warrior was pitched upon for favouritism for the Nursery Plate, and, always dominating the situation, Mr. C. A. Rogers's colt now made amends for his narrow defeat by Glendun at the last meeting here.

Joven signally failed to run up to expectations for the Country Plate, which provided a rattling finish, in which Ellen's Dote ran on gamely to beat Canadian Tetrarchia and Carn. Another to disappoint was Ivydene, about whose chance in the Second Class Handicap even money was freely taken, but he never shaped like justifying the confidence reposed in him, and a quarter of a mile from the end Santa Decca had taken the measure of the opposition, the well-bred daughter of Corcyra—St. Claire II. winning very comfortably.

Her stable companion, the good-looking Illyrian, who left off in most demand for the Maiden Two-Year-Old Plate, could do no better than finish third to Abdulla and Zarope, the former of which pair scored in impressive fashion. On the previous Thursday Abdulla had run unplaced in Thistle Bud's race at Limerick Junction, and the Stewards on Saturday called upon the owner, trainer, and jockey for an explanation of the difference in the running, and not being satisfied they reported the matter to the Stewards of the Turf Club. Some compensation for the failure of Illyrian was forthcoming when Slane Castle accounted for Hornet's Pride and four others in the Weight for Age Plate. Details:—

1.30—THE MODERATE PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A weight-for-age race. 1 m. 2 f. 50 yds.

Mr. I. J. Blake's br. c. NO JOKE, by Black Jester—Rum Gal, 3, 8-4 ... M. Wing 1
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's SOUTH POLE, 4, 8-6 ... J. Patman 2
Mr. P. P. O'Reilly's FLYING GNAT, 4, 8-6 ... H. Jameson 3
Mr. H. I. Ussher's Pallasgreen, 4, 9-6 Jos. Doyle 0
Mr. M. Quinn's Kirkloisk, 5, 9-6 ... D. Ward 0
Mr. T. A. Byrne's Prince Hiram, 3, 8-11 ... D. Quirke 0
Mr. J. H. H. Peard's Larry the Flail, 3, 8-9 ... H. Beasley 0
Mr. D. W. Barnett's Northleigh, 3, 8-9 A. Barrett 0
Mr. D. R. Browning's The Roofer, 3, 8-9 J. Dines 0
Mr. B. White's Minikin's Pride, 4, 8-6 R. Cullen 0
Major Gerrard's Nelltown, 6, 8-6 ... Jos. Harty 0
Mr. J. Banahan's Magnet's Pet, 4, 8-6 J. Moylan 0
(Winner trained by S. C. Jeffery.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. NO JOKE, 6 to 1 each South Pole, Pallasgreen, and Nelltown, 7 to 1 Northleigh, 10 to 1 Flying Gnat or any other.

No Joke made the running from Magnet's Pet, Prince Hiram, Pallasgreen, Flying Gnat, and South Pole, for five furlongs, when Flying Gnat took command, followed by Magnet's Pet, No Joke, Pallasgreen and South Pole. Two furlongs from home No Joke resumed the lead, and won easily by six lengths; four lengths divided second and third. Pallasgreen was fourth, Magnet's Pet fifth, The Roofer sixth, Prince Hiram seventh, and Larry the Flail next.

Time—2 mins. 37 2-5 secs.

2.0—THE NURSERY PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. A handicap for two years old. 5 f.

Mr. C. A. Rogers's ch. c. SHY WARRIOR, by Happy Warrior—Too Shy, 8-8 ... H. Beasley 1
Mr. T. F. McCutcheon's PRINCESS PATSEY, 7-2 ... R. Cullen 2
Mr. J. F. Downey's PASOL, 7-2 ... P. Fitzgerald 3
Mr. M. Arnott's Privit's Pride, 8-2 ... D. Ward 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Jurat, 8-0 ... J. Patman 0
Colonel Croft's Picture Frame, 7-8 ... Jas. Doyle 0
Captain F. G. Uprichard's Prince Jan, 7-7 ... J. Dines 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. SHY WARRIOR, 3 to 1 Jurat, 4 to 1 Privit's Pride, 5 to 1 Prince Jan, 8 to 1 Pasol, 20 to 1 each Princess Patsey and Picture Frame.

Shy Warrior jumped off in front of Privit's Pride, Pasol, Jurat, Picture Frame, and Princess Patsey, and they continued to run in this order to inside the distance, where Princess Patsey took second place. Shy Warrior, however, retained the lead to the end, winning easily by four lengths; a neck divided second and third. Prince Jan was fourth and Picture Frame fifth.

Time—66 1-5 secs.

2.30—THE COUNTRY PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap. 1 m.

Mr. W. Duffy's b. g. ELLEN'S DOTE, by Sarham—Miss Ellen, a, 9-5 ... A. Barrett 1
Mr. J. S. Lowry's CANADIAN TETRARCHIA, 4, 8-9 ... J. Dines 2
Mr. W. O. Bourke's CARN, 3, 9-1 ... J. McCarthy 3
Mr. T. Black's Glenidien, 5, 9-6 ... D. Quirke 0
Mr. R. Wallace's Monocle, a, 8-12 ... D. Ward 0
Mr. H. J. Tully's Pearleen, 4, 8-10 ... J. Patman 0
Mr. D. G. Dickson's Shine On, 4, 8-7 ... T. Burns 0
Mr. J. A. Coen's Joven, 4, 8-7 ... M. Wing 0
Mr. A. D. Comyn's Sunswept, 5, 8-7 ... H. Beasley 0
Mr. G. J. Ball's Hackross, 4, 8-7 ... Jos. Doyle 0
Mr. J. J. Taaffe's Speir Bean, 4, 8-7 ... Jos. Harty 0
Mr. T. G. Dillon's Fire Step, 5, 8-7 ... J. Moylan 0
(Winner trained by R. Delaney.)

Betting—3 to 1 each ELLEN'S DOTE and Joven, 5 to 1 each Canadian Tetrarchia and Monocle, 10 to 1 Carn or any other.

Shine On set the pace to Hackross, Pearleen, Carn, Monocle, Ellen's Dote, Canadian Tetrarchia, and Joven, and so they ran until a quarter of a mile from home, when Ellen's Dote drew to the front, followed by Joven, Canadian Tetrarchia, and Carn. Inside the distance Joven was beaten, and Ellen's Dote, holding Canadian Tetrarchia and Carn at bay, won by three-parts of a length; a neck divided second and third. Speir Bean was fourth, Glenidien fifth, Monocle sixth, Pearleen seventh, and Sunswept next.

Time—1 min. 52 3-5 secs.

3.0—THE SECOND-CLASS HANDICAP of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.

Mr. J. H. H. Peard's b. f. SANTA DECCA, by Corcyra—Ste. Claire II., 4, 9-4 ... H. Beasley 1
Mr. S. Adams' GLEN DESSARY, 5, 7-9 ... R. Cullen 2
Mr. A. M'Cann's TAILTE, 4, 8-9 ... J. Patman 3
Mr. P. J. Munden's Ivydene, 4, 9-6 ... J. Dines 0
Captain Nunan's Battina, 6, 9-1 ... H. Jameson 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Jabbstraw, 4, 8-5 ... P. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. A. B. Coyle's Royal Stuart, 3, 8-3 (car. 8-4) ... M. Wing 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—Evens Ivydene, 3 to 1 agst. SANTA DECCA, 8 to 1 each Jabbstraw and Royal Stuart, 10 to 1 Glen Dessary or any other.

Santa Decca went off in front of Royal Stuart, Ivydene, Glen Dessary, Jabbstraw, and Tailte, and, making all the running, won by three lengths; a neck divided second and third. Jabbstraw was fourth and Ivydene next.

Time—66 1-5 secs.

3.30—THE MAIDEN TWO YEARS OLD PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. B. Kirby's br. c. ABDULLA, by Farasi—Melachrino, 9-0 ... M. Wing 1
Mr. J. Radcliff's ZAROPE, 9-0 ... A. Barrett 2
Lady Conyngham's ILLYRIAN, 9-0 ... H. Beasley 3
Mr. D. B. McKenna's Pendor, 9-0 ... R. Cullen 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Bachelor's Melody, 8-11 ... J. Patman 0
Sir G. S. Murray's Love Gift, 8-11 P. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. J. E. St. George's St. George's Queen, 8-11 ... T. Burns 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers' Left Wheel, 8-11 ... J. Dines 0
(Winner trained by T. N. Perry.)

Betting—11 to 10 agst. Illyrian, 3 to 1 Zarope, 7 to 2 ABDULLA, 7 to 1 St. George's Queen, 20 to 1 any other.

Illyrian led from Pendor, Zarope, Left Wheel, and Abdulla, to the distance, where Abdulla assumed command and won easily by four lengths; half a length divided second and third. St. George's Queen was fourth, Pendor fifth, and Left Wheel next.

Time—66 2-5 secs.

4.0—THE WEIGHT FOR AGE PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A weight for age race. 5 f.

Mr. A. P. Cunliffe's ch. c. SLANE CASTLE, by The Tetrarch—Ballycumber, 3, 8-5 ... H. Beasley 1
Mr. A. Lowry's HORNET'S PRIDE, 5, 8-1 ... J. Patman 2
Mr. T. Coombs' THAME LASS, 4, 8-1 Jas. Doyle 3
Mr. J. A. Coen's Margy, 3, 8-5 ... M. Wing 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers' Affable, 3, 9-3 ... J. Dines 0
Mr. B. O'Donnell's Flying Label, 4, 8-1 D. Ward 0
(Winner trained by J. H. Peard.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. SLANE CASTLE, 3 to 1 each Hornet's Pride and Affable, 8 to 1 each Thame Lass and Margy, 20 to 1 Flying Label.

Slane Castle was the first to show in front, pursued by Hornet's Pride, Affable, and Thame Lass, and, never being headed, Slane Castle won by a length; two and a half lengths separated second and third. Flying Label was fourth.

Time—66 secs.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. J. H. H. Peard brought off a double event on Saturday with Santa Decca and Slane Castle.

H. H. Beasley carried off the riding honours on Saturday at Phœnix Park, where he won three races and M. Wing had two winning rides.

Duleek, who met with an accident at exercise, will not, we understand, be saddled for the Irish Cesarewitch on Wednesday.

Lord Derby has retained D. Quirke, the successful light-weight jockey, to ride his horses in France during next season. Quirke will take up his residence in that country in the course of a few weeks.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. F. MacCabe has accepted the managership of the new Mallow Race Company, Ltd., and he has secured May 30 of next year as the date for the inaugural meeting.

At Phœnix Park on Saturday Templelyon was backed from eights down to 3 to 1 for the Irish Cesarewitch, and is a pronounced favourite for the race. Lord Offaly, Misty Bridge, O'Dempsey, and Major Ray were also in demand. Templelyon's stable companion, Smoke Cloud, was on offer at 20 to 1.

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.

Monday—Mullingar.
Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday—Curragh.
Saturday—Proudstown Park (Navan).

ENGLAND.

Monday—Uttoxeter.
Tuesday and Wednesday—Newbury.
Tuesday and Wednesday—Newcastle.
Thursday—Colwall Park.
Thursday—Chelmsford.
Thursday and Friday—Doncaster.
Friday and Saturday—Sandown Park.

MULLINGAR.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

A busy week's racing will be ushered in to-day, when the venue will be laid at the well-managed Newbrook course, and a very successful function it should prove. The various events have been well supported by owners, and good fields and interesting sport may be expected. A fast special train leaves Broadstone this morning at 11.15 and returns from the racecourse siding at 4.30. Selections are appended:—

Newbrook Plate—**Crocus or Flying Lill.**
Mullingar Plate—**Marchaway.**
Directors' Plate—**Colestown.**
October Plate—**Graystown or Holy Fooks.**
Stand Plate—**Silver Hackle.**
Stewards' Plate—**Golden Rebel.**

1.15—THE NEWBROOK PLATE of 55 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A hurdle race. 1½ m. Age. st. lb.

BACHELOR'S SECRET (Mr. C. Brabazon) ... Owner 4 11 0
SWEET HOME (Mr. H. Keane) ... O'Rourke 5 11 0
WOODLEY (Mr. T. Lynch) (£100) ... O. Brabazon 4 11 0
IRONMASTER (Mrs. D. Moloney) (£50) ... Moloney 3 11 0
UP AT THE POLE (Mr. T. Killian) ... Cleary 4 11 0
FOXROCK (Miss B. O'Reilly) ... Fetherston 3 11 0
OLD PAL (Mr. J. Musker) ... Parkinson 3 11 0
LADY BLANCHETTE (Mr. J. Musker) ... Parkinson 3 10 7
DOCTOR'S CALL (Mr. F. Barbour) (£50) ... Armstrong 6 10 0
CARN (Mr. W. O. Bourke) ... Cleary 3 10 0
CABANTUOHIL (Mr. F. Burke) (£50) ... Dawson a 10 0
STEADY SCOTCH (Mr. D. J. Cogan) (£50) ... Rice a 10 0
KILMORAL (Mrs. Croft) (£50) ... Usher a 10 0
ALLERION (Mr. P. Day) (£50) ... Brooks a 10 0
GLENMORE (Mr. Joseph Flood) (£50) ... Fetherston 4 10 0
ROCKDAILE (Mrs. D. Moloney) (£50) ... Moloney a 10 0
VALIDITY (Mr. Joseph O'Rourke) (£50) ... Bannon a 10 0
HAWTHORN HILL (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) (£50) ... Parkinson 6 10 0
BLACK LASS (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) (£50) ... Parkinson 5 10 0
FLYING LILL (Mr. W. F. Power) (£50) ... Parkinson 4 10 0
BROKEN VOW (Mr. P. W. Shaw) (£50) ... Parkinson 4 10 0
CROCUS (Mr. H. I. Ussher) (£50) ... Owner 5 10 0

1.45—THE MULLINGAR PLATE of 55 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap flat race. 7 f. 150 yds. Seven furlongs and 150 yards. Age. st. lb.

KNOCK BRACK (Mr. N. J. Greene) ... Moss 5 11 3
TIPPERARY BOY (Mr. J. J. Doyle) ... Doyle 4 10 10
ERIN'S ROSE (Mr. P. D. Coen's) ... Owner a 10 10
SUNNY BIRD (Col. Croft) ... Usher 5 10 9
FLYING LILL (Mr. W. F. Power) ... Parkinson 4 10 6
IONIAN (Mr. R. J. Duggan) ... Usher 5 10 6
ROYAL GROSVENOR (Mr. J. Musker) ... Parkinson 3 10 5
AVLONA GROSVENOR (7lb. ex.) (Mr. J. Musker) ... Parkinson 3 10 2
HIGHLAND DAISY (Mr. J. Hayes) ... Moss 3 10 2
ALL IRISH (Mr. H. Keane) ... Cleary 3 9 8
FIRST CONSUL (Mr. T. Singleton) ... Brooks 3 9 8
MARCHAWAY (Mr. J. Fullam) ... Arnott 4 9 8
CARN (Mr. W. O. Bourke) ... Cleary 4 9 5
BRAVE LASS (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) ... McKenna 4 9 5
PILLOW SLIP (Mr. T. Singleton) ... Brooks a 9 3
ROUKEN GLEN (Mr. E. M'Loughlin) ... Perry 3 9 2
TRAGICAL MAID (Mr. F. Burke) ... Dawson 4 9 2
GLEN DESSARY (Mr. S. Adams) ... M'Kenna 4 9 2
PEARLEEN (Mr. H. J. Tully) ... Owner 4 9 0
ABLE LADY (Mr. N. White) ... White 3 9 0
EAGER HEN (Mr. P. P. O'Reilly) ... Fetherston 3 9 0
UP AT THE POLE (Mr. T. Killian) ... Cleary 3 8 12
PRUDENT LAD (Mr. E. J. Hope) ... Mitchell 4 8 10
COOLURE (Mr. T. Black) ... Owner 4 8 10
CAPPYLASS (Mr. P. Glynn) ... Owner 4 8 7
FLYING GNAT (Mr. P. P. O'Reilly) ... Fetherston 4 8 7

2.30—THE DIRECTORS' PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 15 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m. Age. st. lb.

CLONSHEEVER (12lb. ex.) (Mr. J. E. Tyrrell) ... Usher a 12 13
GOLDEN REBEL (Mrs. Croft) ... Usher a 12 13
SCOTCH BEN (Mr. H. N. Magill) ... Usher a 12 7
KANOWNA (Lord Lascelles) ... Gilbert a 12 0
FORT ELIZABETH (Mr. H. M'Alinden) ... Arnott a 11 12
COLESTOWN (Mr. P. J. Leonard) ... Usher a 11 11
NURNEY (Mr. Jas. Fitzsimons) ... Walker a 11 5
HELMET (Mr. John Magee) ... Owner a 11 5
REVELATION (Major V. H. Parr) ... C. Brabazon a 11 3
GRIS DE LIN (Mr. M. Arnott) ... Walker 6 11 0
RATHORY (Mr. B. Kieran) ... Owner a 10 11
BILLY PIT (7lb. ex.) (Mr. R. Cleary) ... Cleary a 10 11
MIRATHORN (Mr. A. E. O'Reilly) ... (Owner) a 10 3
SHAUN ABOO (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ... Fetherston a 10 0 / Owner a 9 10 / (dr.) a 12 3

3.0—THE OCTOBER PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 2 m. Age. st. lb.

HY MANY (Mr. P. J. Kenny) ... O'Rourke a 12 4
HOLY FOOKS (Mr. F. Burke) ... Dawson a 12 4
DESMOND DALE (Mr. E. Bellamy) ... a 11 5
MIRATHORN (Mr. A. E. O'Reilly) ... Parkinson 4 11 3
WILLIE GLUCK (7lb. ex.) (Mr. Jos. Whelan) ... Fetherston a 11 2
SILVERMORE (Mr. M. N. Conway) ... Dawson 4 11 1
V.V. (Mr. Jos. Walshe) ... Owner 6 11 0
BOBORA (Mr. A. McCann) ... Bell 5 11 0
SAKI (Mr. H. I. Ussher) ... Dawson 4 11 0
BROKEN VOW (Mr. P. W. Shaw) ... Owner 6 10 12
RATHDRIN (Mr. M. Ballesty) ... Parkinson 4 10 12
GRAYSTOWN (Mr. R. J. Duggan) ... Owner 5 10 10
HARRY LORREQUER (Mr. J. O'Reilly) ... Usher a 10 10
QUEEN OF GYPSIES (Mr. P. F. Adams) ... F. Rogers 5 10 10
ROSE LANE (Mr. H. C. Ballesty) ... Owner a 10 9
WHITE EYES (Mr. F. Pope) ... Ballesty 5 10 9
NOBLE PRINCESS (Mr. W. A. Wallis) ... Cleary 5 10 8
UP LAND LADY (Mr. Jas. Bannon) ... Staunton 4 10 6
HAWTHORN HILL (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) ... Private 5 10 4
CROBOY (Mr. J. J. Rourke) ... Parkinson 5 10 4
SOUTHERN GIRL (Mr. E. A. Gargan) ... Owner 5 10 2
TARBET (Mr. E. C. Boss) ... Owner a 10 0
LITTLE MICK (Mr. C. T. Vandeleur) ... Moss 4 10 0
ROCK DANIEL (Mr. Jos. O'Rourke) ... Mitchell 6 10 0
PRUDENT GIRL (Mr. E. J. Hope) ... O'Rourke 4 10 0 / Mitchell 6 10 0

3.30—THE STAND PLATE of 55 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A steeplechase. 2½ m. Age. st. lb.

WINBORNE (Mr. M. McGrath) ... Moloney a 12 7
SILVER HACKLE (Mr. P. Cullinan) ... Walker a 12 3
RATHLUCKY (Mr. M. Ballesty) ... Bannon 5 11 13
DARTHOGUE (Mr. J. A. Farrell) ... Owner 5 11 9
GLASS ISLAND (£75) (Mr. Croft) ... Usher 6 11 8
DRINMORE (Capt. W. Eccles) ... Alexander 6 11 7
ROCKDAILE (Mrs. D. Moloney) ... Moloney 5 10 11
SEA ROBBER (Mr. J. O'Dwyer) ... O'Dwyer a 10 8
BLUE RIBBON (Mr. C. Tully) ... Owner a 10 8
BOARDMILLS (Mr. J. W. Murland) ... Owner 5 10 6
LISSEN HALL (Mr. N. Galway-Greer) ... Magee a 10 6
SOLDIER'S JOY (Mr. C. Cole) ... Owner 5 10 6 / Hannon 5 10 0

4.0—THE STEWARDS' PLATE of 55 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A steeplechase. 3 m. Age. st. lb.

GOLDEN REBEL (Mrs. Croft) ... Usher a 12 7
MILINA (Col. Croft) ... Usher 6 12 7
FRANCIS BROWN (Miss M. Brown) ... Usher 6 12 0
BALRENNIT (Mr. Jos. Fitzsimons) ... Fetherston a 11 7
HY MANY (Mr. P. J. Kenny) ... O'Rourke a 11 7
WHITE EYES (Mr. F. Pope) ... Cleary 5 11 7
REDBRAE (Mrs. R. H. Walker) ... Walker 6 11 7
LISSEN HALL (Mr. N. Galway-Greer) ... Owner 5 10 7
KING'S GARB (Capt. J. B. Grant) ... Owner a 10 7

THE IRISH CESAREWITCH.

(Run at the Curragh, October 24. Distance—1 m. 6 f.)

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

*LITTLE MARTEN, ch. c., by Marten—Winn Daly (Mrs. Collie) (gold, cerise sleeves and cap) (O. Bell), 4, 9-8

FALLOCHY, ch. m., by Arizona—Little Falloch (Col. Honner) (khaki drab) (Honner), 6, 9-2 ... Joseph Canty

SMOKE CLOUD, br. g., by Zria—Dhoo Dheen (Lt.-Col. O'Malley-Keyes) (black and white check, scarlet cap) (Parkinson), 4, 8-12 ... T. Burns

O'DEMPSEY, ch. c., by Flying Orb—La Paloma (Mr. H. Baillie) (dark blue, tartan sleeves and cap) (Jeffery), 3, 8-12 ... M. Wing

KNOCK BRACK, ch. g., by Prince Hermes, d. by Sir Edgar—Lady Norah (Mr. N. J. Greene) (royal blue, old gold cross bands, collar, cuffs and cap) (Moss), 5, 8-8 ... J. Moylan

WESTVIEW, bl. g., by Kroonstad—Dooneen (Mr. H. Baillie) (dark blue, tartan sleeves and cap) (Jeffery), 5, 8-6 ... M. Barry

GOLDEN REBEL, ch. g., by Wavelet's Pride—May Lily (Mrs. Croft) (purple, gold cap) (Ussher), 6, 8-2 ... H. H. Beasley

MAJOR RAY, br. c., by Major Symons—Radiance (Mr. P. Monahan) (royal blue, white sash, royal blue cap) (Doyle), 3, 8-1 ... Jas. Doyle

SOOTHING GLASS, b. h., by Rising Glass—Opium (Mr. J. W. Murland) (blue) (Magee), a, 8-1

BARRACKTON LAD, br. c., by Farasi—Raw Material (Mr. John O'Callaghan) (black, red sash and cap) (Behan), 4, 8-0 ... E. M. Quirke

GLENSTELLA, br. m., by Farasi—Glenina (Col. Honner) (khaki drab) (Honner), 6, 7-13 ... J. Patman

MINNIEMENT, b. f., by Orpiment—Minnie Orme (Major J. S. Cape) (old rose) (Cape), 4, 7-11 ... A. Barrett

EASTERN PRINCESS, gr. f., by Roi Herode—Lala Baba (Capt. Shirley) (yellow, blue cap) (Rogers), 3, 7-10 ... J. Dines

EAGERLOON, b. m., by Meleager—Iceloon (Mr. John Ryan) (rose, crimson collar and cuffs, white hooped sleeves, white cap) (Anthony), a, 7-9 ... M. Ward

LORD OFFALY, ch. g., by Glasgerion—Lady Geraldine (Mr. J. E. Tyrrell) (white, brown bird's eye cap) (Jeffery), 4, 7-9 ... C. Penrose

MISTY BRIDGE, b. h., by Bridge of Earn—Smudge (Mr. A. M'Cann) (black, green cap) (Dawson), 5, 7-7 ... D. Ward

RAKES OF MALLOW, b. c., by Junior—Auntie Ash (Mr. R. Power) (white, red and white striped sleeves) (Doyle), 3, 7-5

TEMPLELYON, ch. c., by Irishman—Shot (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) (white, red spots and cap) (Parkinson), 3, 7-2 ... P. Fitzgerald

MELLERAY'S PRIDE, b. f., by Melleray—Aline (Mr. C. Kelly) (sapphire and white hoops, sapphire cap) (O'Dwyer), 4, 7-2

*Doubtful starter.

IRISH CESAREWITCH BETTING.

Owing to a big commission being executed on Templelyon on Saturday, this horse has now become favourite for the Irish Cesarewitch, to be run at the Curragh next Wednesday. Latest prices:—

3 to 1 Templelyon.
7 to 1 Lord Offaly.
7 to 1 Misty Bridge.
10 to 1 O'Dempsey.
10 to 1 Major Ray.
20 to 1 Smoke Cloud.

A RACE DECLARED VOID.

The Stewards of the Turf Club having had it brought to their notice that the Stand Plate at Limerick Junction on Thursday last was started at 3.45 instead of 4.15 have declared the race null and void. The order of running on the race card was not in accordance with that published in the *Irish Racing Calendar*. The race in question was won by Frank Colin.

PONTEFRACT

INTERESTING SPORT.

AMETHYSTINE WINS THE NEWBY NURSERY.

Gloriously fine weather prevailed for the conclusion of the autumn fixture at Pontefract, and the racing was well up to the standard of the opening afternoon. Backers pinned their faith mainly to Pennyway for the Town T.Y.O. Selling Plate, and once the straight was entered the race was all over, the favourite cantering home.

Vesuvius was an easy winner of the Byram Selling Handicap. In the Grove Hall Welter Ardavon shouldered his big burden in gallant style to win for R. Dawson's stable, the favourite, Dry Gin, never once flattering.

It was due to a fine bit of riding that Amethystine won the Newby Nursery, for half-way up the straight Navy Cut was clear, but Childs, on Lady Nunburnholme's youngster, in a rattling effort got up to win by a neck. The favourite, Man at Arms, never showed with a chance.

Fairy Elf had no trouble in taking the Stapleton Handicap from the well-backed Mill Belle, and in the last event Childs had an armchair ride on Whitethread.

1.30—TOWN T.Y.O. PLATE, £200. 5f.

Sir C. Hoyle's ch. c. PENNYWAY, by Stornoway—Penny Forfeit, 9-0 ... Smirke 1
Mr. E. O'Sullivan's SURE GAIN, 9-0 J. Beasley 2
Capt. Wilson's GLENSIMMON, 9-0 ... Thwaites 3

Also ran—Holy Terror (A. Cooper), Mrs. O. colt (R. James), Pomegranate (J. Bowman), Rochfield (Edwards), Combustible (J. Taylor). (Winner trained by Scoble.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. PENNYWAY, 4 to 1 each Sure Gain, Glensimmon, and Combustible, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by three lengths; a neck.

2.0—BYRAM (S.) HANDICAP, £300. 1 m.

Mr. J. Hamer's ch. g. VESUVIUS, by Irishman—Gypsy Girl, 6, 7-10 ... J. Brennan 1
Lord Durham's MAZOE, 3, 7-2 ... T. Weston 2
Mr. A. Scott's DUNIN, 3, 7-0 ... R. James 3

Also ran—Repald (Fox), Vain Simon (Crisp), More Rain (Broady), Son o' Lomond (P. Jones), Milford (Clancy), Danegelt (Wragg), Fulneck (J. Beasley), Rhodarene (Edwards), Scamander (J. Stanton), Tommy Long (Taylor), Glen Fyne (Wedgwood), Culcavey (E. Fox), Mayfly (Smirke), Laverstoke (R. Jones), Benedick (J. Harding), Elizabeth L. (L. Maughan). (Winner trained by J. Dodd.)

Betting—4 to 1 each agst. Laverstoke and Elizabeth L., 5 to 1 VESUVIUS, 7 to 1 Tommy Long, 8 to 1 Fulneck, 10 to 1 Vain Simon, 100 to 8 each Mazoe and Dunin, 25 to 1 any other.

Won by three-quarters of a length; two lengths.

2.30—GROVE HALL WELTER HANDICAP, £400. 1¼ m.

Mr. H. da Costa's br. h. ARDAVON, by Ardoon—Avon Hack, a, 10-0 ... G. Smith 1
Mr. Dugdale's LADY DIANA, 5, 8-10 Thwaites 2
Mr. C. Sykes's COTTINGHAM, 3, 7-7 T. Pryor 3

Also ran—Dry Gin (T. Weston), Jacksdale (Fox), Lune de Miel (J. Childs), Carnforth (Wragg), Gallant Spear (P. Jones), Be A Lad (D. M'Guigan), Ballytol (R. Jones). (Winner trained by R. Dawson.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Dry Gin, 4 to 1 Cottingham, 5 to 1 each ARDAVON and Lady Diana, 8 to 1 Lune de Miel, 10 to 1 Gallant Spear, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by three lengths; a length.

3.0—NEWBY NURSERY HANDICAP, £1,000. 6f.

Lady Nunburnholme's AMETHYSTINE, by Hainault, dam by Lesterlin—Cairngorm, 8-5 ... J. Childs 1
Lord Wolverton's NAVY CUT, 7-2 ... T. Weston 2
Mr. Mollekin's MISS CONNIE, 7-12 ... Holdroyd 3
Maj. Holliday's Glitter Gold, 9-0 ... W. Lister 0
Mr. Waldron's Sir Benedict, 8-8 ... P. Jones 0
Mr. S. Joel's Played Out, 8-7 ... Smirke 0
Mr. V. Thompson's Pomsan, 8-3 ... F. Winter 0
Mr. J. Harvie's Helsby, 8-1 ... F. Fox 0
Mr. S. Morris's Bella Do, 7-12 ... Thwaites 0
Lady Carnarvon's Demi-Volt, 7-12 ... G. Smith 0
Mr. P. Gilpin's Man at Arms, 7-9 ... R. Jones 0
Mr. D. Waugh's Spring Running, 7-8 W. Marsh 0
Mr. A. Scott's Retrieve, 7-8 ... T. Pryor 0
(Winner trained by Rochfort.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Man at Arms, 7 to 2 AMETHYSTINE, 8 to 1 each Navy Cut and Demi-Volt, 10 to 1 each Played Out and Glitter Gold, 100 to 8 any other.

Amethystine was smartest away from Helsby, Miss Connie, Navy Cut and Pomsan, but after going half-way Demi-Volt took up the lead. Entering the straight, Navy Cut was in front, but was challenged close home by Amethystine, who won by a neck; two lengths separated second and third. Demi-Volt was fourth, Pomsan sixth, and Helsby last.

3.30—STAPLETON HANDICAP, £200. 5 f.

Mr. A. Hesketh's br. c. FAIRY ELF, by Fairy King—Var, 3, 7-3 ... R. James 1
Mr. C. Kenyon's MILL BELLE, 5, 9-0 V. Smyth 2
Mr. C. Uren's POLISTA, 6, 8-2 ... Lister 3

Also ran—Dragoon (P. Jones), Ladies' Laces (T. Weston), King Willow (J. Taylor), High Society (Crisp), Lucentio (Wragg), D'Amade (J. Don), Willow Pattern (Thwaites), Too Eager (Fox), Kilnwick (J. Harding), Call Alice (J. Beasley), Clara B. (Broady), Square Peg (J. Dawson), Jolly Butcher (Stanton), Rosaceous (F. Taylor). (Winner trained by Toon.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. Mill Belle, 4 to 1 King Willow, 5 to 1 each FAIRY ELF and Call Alice, 8 to 1 Ladies' Laces, 10 to 1 Willow Pattern, 100 to 8 Polista, 100 to 6 Dragoon, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a length and a half; three lengths.

4.0—HAREWOOD PLATE of 200 sovs. (three-year-olds). 1¼ m.

Mr. J. Miss's ch. f. WHITETHREAD, by Tredennis—Whitethorn, 8-7 ... J. Childs 1
Mr. Braithwaite's MAGIC FLOWER, 8-7 ... Braithwaite 2
Mr. S. Darling's CAPTIVITY, 8-7 ... P. Jones 3

Also ran—Ferryhill (Wragg), Rivose (Wedgewood), Queen Oyster (Broady), Kate Hardcastle (J. Taylor). (Winner trained by Leader.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Captivity, 9 to 4 WHITETHREAD, 3 to 1 Magic Flower, 6 to 1 Ferryhill, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by eight lengths; a length and a half.

GOLF.

ARMY IN ULSTER TOURNAMENT.

The Army in Ulster golf meeting concluded on Saturday, when the military met a team of the Royal County Down Club in ten singles and foursome matches. The military were outclassed, being defeated in each match by substantial margins. Wilson Smith and Harold Read, who played Captain Miller and Captain Hamond Smyth, disposed of their opponents, going round in a southerly gale in the fine score of 78.

W. A. Anderson won the club's monthly medal, and T. J. Ferguson and J. R. Carr qualified to contest the final for the captain's prize.

HOWTH CLUB.

The annual club dinner was held at the Claremont Hotel, Howth, on Saturday evening. The captain (Mr. P. J. Hanlon) presided. Toasts of the Club was proposed by Mr. Cormac Walsh, and responded to by the Chairman, and the Visitors was proposed by Mr. W. Devoy, and responded to by Mr. F. Moran (Skerries G.C.). Subsequently a musical programme was contributed by Messrs. D. Finn, Dillon, Redmond, O'Neill, Gallagher, Pigott, Leeke, Hope, Noble, Rathborne, Collins, Devoy, Lynch, Hanlon, and P. Murphy.

Previous to the dinner matches were played between captain's team and secretary's team, which resulted in a tie at eight matches all.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY'S HEAVY DEFEAT.

Oxford University fared very badly against Oxford and Cambridge Society on the University's new course at Southfield on Saturday. The Society won all the fourball matches, excepting one, which was halved, and in the afternoon the University only won one of the foursomes, so that on the day the Dark Blues were beaten by nineteen games to one. In the first of the fourball matches the amateur champion, Roger Wethered, and T. C. M. Croome beat J. A. Macintosh and A. R. Hall Cain by 2 and 1, whilst C. J. H. Tolley and D. E. Landale defeated D. A. Sanders and A. D. Cave on the 15th green. G. N. P. Humphries, the old Cambridge captain, and C. H. Prowse achieved the biggest win of the day by beating G. H. Clegg and J. B. Collins by 7 and 6, whilst G. D. Forrester, the former Indian championship holder, beat J. C. V. Wilkes and P. F. Saunders by 3 and 1. In the foursomes Tolley and G. N. Foster beat Macintosh and Hall Cain by 3 and 2. Wethered was partnered by J. C. Craigie, and they beat D. H. Sanders and J. H. Cockshot by 3 and 2, whilst Humphries and Prowse won easily from Clegg and Collins.

DUBLIN PRESS G.S.—Competition for Barton Cup, 18 holes, strokes, at Woodbrook on Saturday. Arrange partners and hour of play. Entries close with J. Rooney, *Irish Times*, on Thursday. Members who intend being present at the annual dinner in the Central Hotel on Saturday night must notify Mr. Quilty or Mr. Rooney not later than Thursday evening.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—Coldstream Guards' Cup—*Captain W. Mooney, 87, 6, 81; *L. R. Sheldrick, 93, 12, 81; F. J. Henry, 91, 9, 82; H. S. Watson, 85, 2, 83; G. A. McGusty, 100, 16, 84; J. D. Walsh, 89, 4, 85. *Tie for first place. Best gross. The medal foursomes are postponed from October 27th to November 3rd.

DUN LAOGHAIRE.—Ladies' Branch—Lady McGrath's prize postponed from October 18th to October 23rd. Draws 10.30 a.m., 11 a.m., and 2.30 p.m.

RATHFARNHAM.—The annual general meeting was held in the clubhouse, and the following were elected for the current year:—Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Robert Browne, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Batchen. Committee—Miss Jackson, Miss Mason, Mrs. Healy, Mrs. Irvine, Mrs. Lee, Miss Fawcett, and Miss McCaw, Hon. Secretary. Result of medal finals, 5th October—Class I.—Mrs. N. Crawley (16), 88. Class II.—Miss Fawcett (22), 88; Mrs. Matthews (28), 88; Miss Fawcett beat Mrs. Matthews in the play-off 2 and 1.

KILLINEY.—Friday, 26th inst., Stradbrook Cup, 18 holes, match play. Entries close at clubhouse Thursday next 3 p.m. Play starts 11.30 a.m. for those who have not arranged. Result of Miss D'Arcy's prize—Miss E. Walsh, 3 down; Mrs. Riddick, 5 down.

CILLDARA.—Prize presented by Mr. J. Canty (capt.).—Final—P. J. O'Shaughnessy beat T. Kerrigan, 2 up. Prize presented by Mrs. Coady (ladies' captain)—Final—Miss Bratton beat Mrs. Faichney, 3 and 2.

HERMITAGE.—Ladies' Branch—Draw for Hermitage Cup—First round—Miss Beattie v. Mrs. Towell; Miss Ward v. Mrs. Williams; Mrs. Guinan v. Miss E. Sullivan; Miss Hannon v. Miss O'Flanagan; Miss M. Byrne v. Mrs. Callaghan; Byes—Mrs. Kavanagh, Dr. O'Flanagan v. Mrs. Barr, Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Lennon, Mrs. Egan v. Miss L. Byrne, Mrs. Pike v. Mrs. Hickey, Mrs. Hanlon v. Mrs. McArdle. First round to be played on October 23. Those unable to arrange hour of play must do so on arrival of 12.45 tram.

TULLAMORE.—Ladies' Challenge Cup—Final—Dr. Scally beat Miss Lavin (holder), 7 and 5. Mrs. E. Williams' Prize—Final—Mrs. P. J. Egan beat Mrs. Corry, 5 and 4.

CASTLE.—Final of Medals Competition—H. E. Bell 80 (2), 78; L. A. Herbert 92 (14), 78; N. McAllister, 84 (4), 80. The tie for first and second places to be played off on or before Saturday next.

HUNTING.

FINGAL HARRIERS.—October—Tuesday, 23rd, Rathbeal; Friday, 26th, Walshestown; Tuesday, 30th, 7th Milestone, Ashbourne road. At 12 o'clock.

LINGFIELD RESULTS.

1.30—OCTOBER NURSERY HANDICAP, £200. 5 f.

Mr. C. Ismay's ch. f. HASTY CATCH, by Hurry On—Cheshire Cat, 9-0 ... Archibald 1
His Majesty's MOSAIC, 7-5 ... Ingham 2
Mrs. S. Whitburn's HIGH COURT, 8-4 ... Beary 3

Also ran—Sunny South (J. Evans), Katinka (Elliott), Pomi (R. Dick), Actea (Perryman), Cappawhite (G. Walsh), Hammondia (W. Marland), Levana (G. Richards), Sunba (Orme), Secretary (T. Barber), Psycho (O. Timmins). (Winner trained by F. Darling.)

Betting—7 to 2 agst. HASTY CATCH, 4 to 1 each Mosaic and Cappawhite, 6 to 1 Levana, 10 to 1 each Katinka, Actea and Sunny South, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by a length and a half; a neck.

2.20—CAGE SELLING PLATE, £200, for two-year-olds. 5 f.

Sir H. C. Owen's ELEVATION F., by Orpiment—8-8 ... H. Gray 1
Major Carthew's VARSITY MATCH, 8-8 ... Ingham 2
Mrs. E. Tabor's PONJOLA, 8-8 ... J. Evans 3

Also ran—Gamgee (Elliott), Burhill Queen (J. Clarke), Miss Elegance (Piper), Langers (Beary), Jota (F. Bullock). (Winner trained by O. Bell.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. ELEVATION F., 9 to 2 each Varsity Match and Ponjola, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by a neck; a head.

Winner bought in for 390 guineas.

2.50—LINGFIELD AUTUMN OAKS, £1,000 (three-year-old fillies). 1¼ m.

Lord Astor's br. f. CONCERTINA, by Sir Eager or Florentino—Conjure, 8-9 ... F. Bullock 1
Mr. W. Singer's BECKA, 8-9 ... Carslake 2
Mr. Wigan's ANITRA'S DANCE, 8-2 ... Gardner 3
H.H. Aga Khan's Teresina, 9-2 ... G. Hulme 0
Lord Penrhyn's Quits, 8-9 ... Archibald 0
Lord Rosebery's Lake Leman, 8-0 ... Elliott 0
Mr. White's Lady of the Rose, 8-0 ... M. Beary 0
Mr. Michalinos's Aristea, 7-7 ... Ingham 0
Sir H. Meux's Mount Juliet, 7-2 ... Burns 0
(Winner trained by Taylor.)

Betting — 7 to 4 agst. Teresina, 9 to 4 CONCERTINA, 6 to 1 Becka, 10 to 1 any other.

Mount Juliet showed the way to Aristea, Teresina, Lady of the Rose, Lake Leman, Concertina, Becka, Quits, and Anitra's Dance, last. Little change occurred until reaching the straight, when the three placed runners improved their positions behind Mount Juliet and Teresina. At the distance Concertina drew out and won by a length; a head separated second and third. Teresina was fourth, Mount Juliet fifth, and Aristea last.

Time—2 mins. 44 3-5 secs.

3.20—RUSTIC SELLING STAKES, £3 each, with £300 added. 7 f.

Mr. Solomon's b. g. ROYAL HUSSAR, by Battle-Axe—Psyche, 7, 8-13 ... Beary 1
Sir E. Hulton's ABANAZAR, 5, 8-6 ... Elliott 2
Mr. P. Nevill's THE BOW, 3, 7-11 ... A. Orme 3

Also ran—St. Corentin (F. Bullock), Moidore (Lane), Puck (Carslake), Cheap Talk (Richards). (Winner trained by Cottrill.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. ROYAL HUSSAR, 3 to 1 Abanazar, 5 to 1 Puck, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by three-quarters of a length; a neck.

The winner was bought in for 410 guineas.

3.50—GRINSTEAD HANDICAP, £500. 5 f.

Mr. Galstaun's ch. g. GLASTONBURY, by Glasgerion—Rusticate, 3, 7-9 ... G. Walsh 1
Mr. Walker's KEPPLESTONE, 3, 8-11 ... Beary 2
Mr. J. Benson's ZOOMP, 4, 8-10 ... J. Evans 3

Also ran—Belsize (A. Smyth), Rath Duth (E. M. Quirke), Double Court (E. Morris), Compiler (F. Bullock), Orderly (Archibald), Thyene (G. Hulme), Abbey Island (A. Harris), Miss Brian (Elliott). (Winner trained by O. Bell.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Rath Duth, 5 to 1 each Thyene and Miss Brian, 6 to 1 Kepplestone, 7 to 1 Zoomp, 10 to 1 each Double Court and Compiler, 100 to 7 GLASTONBURY or any other.

Won by half a length; a neck.

4.20—NON-STAYERS' PLATE, £200. 1 m.

Mr. Miller's b. c. HUNTING SONG, by Hurry On—Pasta, 4, 7-13 ... F. Bullock 1
Mr. Michalinos' MILTIADES, 3, 7-10 ... G. Walsh 2
Sir C. Hyde's FORDINGBRIDGE, 4, 8-4 ... Archibald 3

Also ran—Bonne Race (H. Blades), Chios (H. Clayton), Prince Oliver (J. Parker), Sea of Glory (Hulme), Radlett (Ingham), Euphrosynus (Lynch). (Winner trained by Earl.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. HUNTING SONG, 9 to 4 Miltiades, 8 to 1 each Fordingbridge, Sea of Glory, and Bonne Race, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by a length and a half; four lengths.

UTTOXETER.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The Uttoxeter October Meeting, which has the country to itself to-day, promises to break records in the matter of sport, as no fewer than seventy-nine boxes have been ordered, and this is undoubtedly the most popular National Hunt venue in the Midlands. The stakes total 900 sovs. in value, and the quality of the entries is of the best. Selections:—

Doveridge Hurdle—**Lenglen.**
Ashbourne Hurdle—**Wild Pam.**
Hilton Hurdle—**Bold Chap.**
Shrewsbury Steeplechase—**Miss Micawber.**
Hartington Steeplechase—**Square Dance.**
Roycroft Steeplechase—**Holdcroft.**

1.45—DOVERIDGE (OPTIONAL SELLING) HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

Lenglen, 4 yrs.	Knockcroghery II., aged
Knockanour, 5 yrs.	Irish Cousin, 4 yrs.
The Joker VIII., 6 yrs	Hereford Lad, 4 yrs.
Jim Langford, 5 yrs	Silent Sands, aged
Low Tide, 5 yrs.	

The above have arrived.

Sun Chap, 4 yrs.	Heisdelite, 5 yrs.
Noctifer, 4 yrs.	Down South, 6 yrs.
Black and All Black, 4 y.	Press Heath, 5 yrs.
Drink-Less, 4 yrs.	Keramelcos, 5 yrs.
Macor, 5 yrs.	South Tipp, 5 yrs.
Train Royal, aged	Simonstown, aged
Man Friday, 5 yrs.	Tullylost, 4 yrs.
Polynia, 4 yrs.	Cruiser Arc, 4 yrs.
Torligne, 5 yrs.	Winnezeele, aged
Rochford, 6 yrs.	Edna's Choice, 4 yrs.

2.15—ASHBOURNE SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. 2 m.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Navan Boy	a 12 2	Mandrake	
Dug Major	a 12 0	Dean's Grange	a 10 13
Hopeful II.	a 11 12	Little Pickle	a 10 12
Wild Pam	a 11 10	Rusher	a 10 12
Brendan Bold	4 11 6	Molly Grey	a 10 11
Glen Eagle (inc. 5lb. ex.)	6 11 2	King's Nordley	a 10 3

The above have arrived.

Bac-More (inc. 5lb. ex.)	5 12 9	D'ye Ken	6 11 7
The Star	5 12 7	Risk	a 11 2
Jugalis	6 12 7	Pardreo	a 11 7
More Rain	a 12 7	Ground Scout	5 10 12
Chirrup	a 12 7	Warrior	4 10 3
Fool Proof	6 11 10	Early Bun	a 11 9
Nonchalante	a 11 10	Toilet	5 11 9
		Fortune	5 11 7

2.45—HILTON HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. 2 m.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Llandolla	a 12 0	Roundhay	4 10 8
Glenfarg	a 12 0	Newtown Wonder	5 10 5
Civic Guard (late Holy Willie)	4 11 9	Wild Time	6 10 3
Bold Chap	6 11 5	The Joker VIII.	6 10 0
Hedu	a 11 3	Pabulum	a 10 0
Lord Thanet	6 11 1	Merrily	4 10 0
Clarkia	5 10 10		

The above have arrived.

Assaroe	a 12 7	Duncher	a 10 13
Glorioso	5 12 6	Ireland Green	4 10 12
Corney Grain	a 12 1	Louvima	a 10 9
Righlina	4 12 1	Will Swing	a 10 8
Envoy	a 12 0	Royal Enclosure (inc. 7lb. ex.)	5 10 9
Repaid (inc. 7lb. ex.)	4 11 7	Master Rufus	5 10 8
Rafter	4 11 5	Marcando	5 10 7
Gilded Spurs	6 11 4	Someday	4 10 7
Wilson	a 11 0	Anarchist	6 10 6
Baalbek	5 11 0	Foazam	6 10 5
Ullswater	a 10 13	Torligne	5 10 2

3.10—SHREWSBURY SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 150 sovs. 2 m.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Barnawee	a 11 12	Ammunition	5 10 9
Dr. Nicol	a 11 8		

The above have arrived.

Mountain Pass	a 12 7	Knight of the Mint	4 11 8
Nitric	a 12 4	Artistry (inc. 5lb. ex.)	a 11 2
Sir Eyre	a 12 4	The Grove	a 11 1
Miss Micawber	a 12 3	King's Favourite	a 10 13
Tim	a 12 2	Stalbridge	a 10 0
Aris	a 12 1		
Lie Low	a 11 13		
St. George II.	6 11 12		
Bencross	a 11 9		

3.40—HARTINGTON HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 125 sovs. 3 m.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Square Dance	a 12 11	Singlecote	a 10 10
Spoil Five	a 11 11	Progress	5 10 9
Vive	a 11 4	Rockmeadow	5 10 9
Northbrook	a 10 11		

The above have arrived.

Trentino	a 12 7	Outlaw	a 10 7
Wavetown	a 12 4	One	a 10 6
Vaulx	a 12 0	Skegness	a 10 6
Royal Duck	a 11 11	Manister Park	a 10 6
Mintol	a 11 9	Ashwood	a 10 6
Auchinrossie	a 11 6	Snapper	a 10 5
Castle in Spain	a 11 5	Drumbuck	5 10 5
Robert	a 11 1	Cinzano	a 10 4
Kylestrome	a 10 13	Denikin	6 10 2
Snipe's Bridge	a 10 13	Master Gris	5 10 1
Winter Voyage (inc. 5lb. ex.)	6 10 13	Certosa	a 10 0

4.10—ROYCROFT HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 125 sovs. 2 m.

	Age. st. lb.		Age. st. lb.
Holdcroft	a 12 10	Wing Commander	6 10 12
Soldier Bill	a 11 13	Jack Boore	a 10 12
Hedu	a 11 12	Knockcroghery II.	a 10 10
Dudley	a 11 7	Fibber	a 10 9
Desert Lord	a 11 2	Sancho Panza	6 10 6
Aiken Drum	a 11 2	Wood Ant	5 10 3
Northbrook	a 10 12		

The above have arrived.

Southend (inc. 10lb. ex.)	6 13 3	Ethelred	5 10 10
Turkey Buzzard	a 12 12	Nitric	a 10 5
Navana	a 11 11	Drumbuck	a 10 4
The Bore	a 11 7	The Red Knight	5 10 0
Sherston	a 11 6	Little England	5 10 0
		Climber	5 10 0

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Arksey Handicap, Doncaster—Farce.
Kenton Handicap, Newcastle—Bold Buck.
Ormonde Plate, Newbury—Free from Pride.
Doncaster Autumn Foal Stakes—Hill Star, Socrates.
Reading Nursery Handicap, Newbury—Mount Beacon.
Dalham Plate, Newmarket—Needle Back filly.
All engagements—Lasker (dead), L.S.D., Straight Flight, Irish Battle.
All engagements this year—Stanhope.
Bogside engagements—Konky, Son o' Lee.
All engagements in Mr. C. F. Kenyon's name—Masterpiece, Scottish Elegance, Lady Regal, Lady Elaine.
Sandown Foal Stakes—Papyrus, Tudor King, Free from Pride.
Great Sapling Stakes—Blue Ruin.
October Selling Handicap, Sandown—Dundonald, King George.
Pirbright Hurdle, Sandown—Nineo, King George, By Proxy.
Trafalgar Nursery Handicap, Sandown—White Coral.
Deerhurst Nursery, Worcester—Foundling.
Willey Welter, Worcester—Belsize, Long Corrie.
Witham Hurdle, Chelmsford—Perry Hill, Llangarren.

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IRELAND'S THIRD VICTORY.

ENGLAND BEATEN AT BELFAST.

Ireland won her third victory at association football over England at Windsor Park, Belfast, on Saturday, by 2-1. The result was altogether unexpected, and in view of the strength of the English XI., the triumph of the home side must be regarded as one of the most remarkable achievements by an Irish team in the international series.

Originally the Irish selectors had chosen a team consisting of Irishmen engaged with English or Scottish clubs, but, as has so often occurred in the past, they had to reorganise the side owing to several clubs declining to release their Irish players for the match. In that way two local players in Curran (Glenavon) and Croft (Queen's Island) came into the team, and a rather singular circumstance was that the goal which gave Ireland their surprising win was scored by the Queen's Island substitute.

A few weeks previously on the same ground the English League XI. had overwhelmed the Irish League team. So impressed were the English team builders by the display of their forwards on that occasion that for Saturday's more important match four of them were retained, Lieutenant K. E. Hegan, of the Army, being brought on to partner Kelly, on the right wing, while Wilson and Meehan of the League half-back line were also "capped." It was a powerful side, and not even the most optimistic Irishman would have predicted their downfall. As a matter of fact, a feeling of despondency prevailed in local football circles when Rollo and Kennedy, the two full-backs, cried off. At the interval the sides were on level terms, but even so the result was viewed in the light of a foregone conclusion.

But when Croft gave Ireland the lead twenty minutes from the end the 33,000 spectators rose en masse. The enthusiasm was immense. Thousands of hats and caps were thrown high in the air and everyone shouted himself hoarse. At intervals during the remaining twenty minutes the intense enthusiasm broke out anew, for Ireland took almost complete control of the game after they had gone into the lead.

And yet it was not a great game. We have seen a dozen matches between the two countries in which the football was much better. The English forwards were very disappointing, and their inability to turn their opportunities to account was the prime factor in their failure to win, and win easily. They combined beautifully. The short passing between forwards and half-backs was executed with machine-like precision, but the Irish backs were always dashing in to break up these well-planned intricate movements before they could be finished off. The marksmanship of the English forwards was also faulty. That sums up accurately the story of the failure of England's powerful combination. No fault could be found with the defence; the forwards threw the match away.

The Irishmen from start to finish played with characteristic Hibernian dash, and very frequently their football was artistic and effective. The Dublin goalkeeper, Farquharson, did his work splendidly, and the two backs, in rather trying circumstances, were wonderfully successful, while the half-backs were a dogged, untiring, persevering lot. The forwards did not play football anything like as attractive as the English five. When they essayed the short passing game they were overplayed by the opposing half-backs and backs. But when they changed their tactics and relied more on their speed and dash, which they did in the last twenty minutes, they fairly over-ran the English half-backs. As a matter of fact, in the last quarter of an hour the Irish team were all over the visitors.

What wind there was was blowing almost directly across the ground when England's captain won the toss. The Irish backs were soon at close quarters with the visiting forwards, but the attack was beaten off, and at the far end Meehan came into prominence by stemming a move initiated by Gillespie, while he later on checked the Irish right after Wadsworth had been beaten. The English forwards were keeping the ball low and passing cleverly, and, following a long range effort by Chambers, Bradford had no better luck from a difficult position. The first dangerous onslaught came on the Irish right wing, Brown, though hard pressed by Wadsworth, sending across a fine centre, which yielded a corner kick, but down came England's forwards, for Hegan to send behind.

Curran was holding the Army's representative well, but a corner was forced on England's right. Following Hegan's well-judged kick a hot *melee* ensued in the Irish goal. Farquharson actually got hold of a shot from close range, but he dropped the ball, and Bradford simply put it into the net, the time being ten minutes. The Irish were not by any means demoralised, and Gillespie and Toner were soon making tracks for the other goal. Twice the ball was sent over the English line, but five minutes after the Irish goal had fallen the Irishmen drew level. Irvine rattled the crossbar, off which the ball rebounded, and Gillespie, seizing a grand opening, headed it in.

It was a good, hard-fought game, but England were playing the better football, and when Tunstall centred, Bradford almost gave his side the lead with a splendid header. Later on Irvine lost a golden opportunity by holding on too long, and then Wilson and Meehan came into the picture with some good work, but it was touch and go when Farquharson turned a wonderful shot by Tunstall over the bar. Wilson headed away a fine centre by Brown, and the only other incident before the interval, which arrived with the score one all, was a dangerous shot by Gillespie, which struck the bar.

There had not been many thrills so far, and the second half began tamely enough, with each side on the search for goals in turn. In one raid by the English forwards Kelly bore his way right through and slammed in a hot shot just a little too high, and then Meehan had to concede a corner to the Irish right. From this Smith fired in a beauty, but Taylor blocked the way. Play fluctuated a lot, but one of the most exciting incidents in the match was when Hegan struck the Irish crossbar, and Tunstall rattled the ball off the post as it came out to him. The Irishmen were not pleasing the crowd by their high kicking, but they soon had the onlookers in the best of humour. Irvine drove in a hard shot, which Taylor was only in time to divert over the bar. A heavy English attack supervened, but it soon spent itself, and then came Ireland's opportunity. It was twenty minutes from the end when the Irish forwards, with irresistible dash, swept through the opposing half-backs on the right, and in a twinkling Croft had the ball in the net, the inside right, with Irvine closely marked by Wilson, racing through to take Taylor by surprise.

Tremendous pressure was now for a time applied by the Englishmen, and Tunstall and Chambers tried for the equaliser, but the marksmanship was poor. Even the full-back, Wadsworth, attempted to retrieve the position with a long range grounder, but the Irishmen stuck grimly to their task, and eventually they took control of the game. Several times they were on the point of adding to their score, and once, when almost under the bar, and with Taylor out, Croft skied the ball. The end came a few minutes later. Result:—

Ireland ... 2
England ... 1

England—Taylor (Huddersfield Town); A. G. Bower (Corinthians), Wadsworth (Huddersfield Town); Pantling (Sheffield United), Wilson (Sheffield Wednesday) (capt.), Meehan (Chelsea); Lt. K. E. Hegan (The Army), Kelly (Burnley), Bradford (Birmingham), Chambers (Liverpool), and Tunstall (Sheffield United).

Ireland—Farquharson (Cardiff City); McCluggage (Bradford), Curran (Glenavon); Irving (Dundee), Smith (Cardiff City), Emerson (Burnley); Croft (Queen's Island), Brown (Tranmere Rovers), Irvine (Everton), Gillespie (Sheffield United) and Toner (Arsenal).

Referee—Mr. A. A. Jackson (Scotland).

SHELBOURNE'S DEFEAT.

Before some 7,000 spectators Shelbourne experienced their first defeat of the season at Dalymount Park on Saturday, Bohemians gaining the points by two clear goals. Up to Saturday both teams were only separated by a point, so that interest naturally was keen in the outcome of the meeting. It was not what one would expect from these sides—a good exhibition of the code—and most of the game was devoid of anything in the nature of incident, Bohemians showing marked superiority all through, and completely outplaying their opponents. The failure of the Shelbourne forwards was very marked, and seldom during the ninety minutes did they reproduce anything like the form displayed in their previous games; indeed, they played much below it, and compared very unfavourably with the Bohemian front line. Their defence, too, was not quite so sound or reliable, the half-backs failing completely to hold the home attack, while the fulls were often in difficulties. Here again the comparison was marked, as the Bohemian half-back division were as near as possible perfect, and never allowed the Shelbourne attack to settle down to any purpose, while at the same time keeping their own forwards well placed. The home fulls, however, were nothing better than the opposing pair, Kerr, in particular, being much weaker than usual, and inclined to miskick, a fault which nearly caused the downfall of the Bohemian goal on at least two occasions.

Against a strong wind in the opening period Bohemians made the pace at a fast rate, and at once swarmed the Shelbourne goal, Kane just missing to score. A few minutes later, however, Roberts, picking up a good forward pass, raced right through, beating the opposition for speed, and scored. For some minutes following this Shelbourne appeared to have found their feet, but the forwards failed to combine and work with an even understanding, as a result of which the Bohemian halves repeatedly beat them, and spoiled any attempt to settle down. When they did invade the home end their work lacked that steadiness in front of goal necessary to success. Nearing the interval Shelbourne made an effort, and Kerr miskicking in trying to clear nearly put through his own goal. Robinson was charged in trying to clear, and the referee awarded Shelbourne a penalty, the cause for which was not apparent. Daly missed the place kick, and with it went Shelbourne's best chance.

The second period saw Bohemians at their best, and though Shelbourne indulged in several rushes they were outclassed for the greater part. Doyle, the inside left, for the visitors made a couple of creditable efforts to equalise the score, but he was badly supported. Half-way through this period Bohemians scored their second goal, Kane receiving a good pass on the right wing passed to Robinson, who beat the half-back, and sent out again to the right-winger, who shot hard, Doherty having to go back into the net to get the ball, and the referee awarded a goal. Bohemians had all the better of the remaining play. Teams:—

Bohemians—Robinson; Kerr, McCarthy; Kelly, McIlroy, Otto; Kane, C. Robinson, Roberts, Willitts, Murray.

Shelbourne—Doherty; Daly, Kavanagh; Kirkland, Harris, Foley; Brierley, Simpson, Wilson, Doyle, Pemberton.

IRISH LEAGUE TEAM.

The following have been selected to represent the Irish League against the Scottish League at Belfast on Wednesday, the 31st inst.:—Goal, Adams (Cliftonville); backs, Curran (Glenavon), Mulligan (Newry); halves, Robinson (Linfield), Gowdy (captain) (Queen's Island), M'Ilveene (Linfield); forwards, M'Kenzie (Distillery), Croft (Queen's Island), Andrews (Larne), Chambers (Newry), Allen (Glentoran).

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THE RESULTS.

INTERNATIONAL MATCH.

	Goals.		Goals.
Ireland	2	England	1

FREE STATE LEAGUE.

	Goals.		Goals.
Bohemians	2	Shelbourne	0
Shelbourne United	3	Brooklyn	1

LEINSTER LEAGUE—DIV. I.

University College	6	Shelbourne B	2
Bray Unknowns	6	Bohemians B	0
Dundalk G.N.R.	3	Glasnevin	0
St. James' Gate B.	2	Civil Service	2
Seaview	4	Dublin United	0
Inchicore	4	St. Paul's	3

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIV. I.

Huddersfield Town	1	Birmingham	0
Manchester City	1	Blackburn Rovers	0
Arsenal	2	Bolton Wanderers	1
Cardiff City	1	Preston North End	1
Chelsea	0	West Ham	0
Liverpool	4	Notts Forest	2
Middlesbrough	1	Newcastle United	0
Notts County	1	Everton	1
Sheffield United	2	Burnley	1
Sunderland	1	Tottenham Hotspur	0
West Bromwich A.	1	Aston Villa	0

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIV. II.

Blackpool	5	Coventry City	0
Fulham	1	Bristol City	0
Clapton Orient	3	South Shields	0
Crystal Palace	3	Bradford City	0
Hull City	2	Stoke	0
Leicester City	2	Barnsley	0
Manchester United	3	Stockport County	0
Nelson	1	The Wednesday	1
Oldham Athletic	0	Bury	0
Leeds United	1	Port Vale	0
Southampton	0	Derby County	0

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIV. III. (Northern).

Ashington	1	Accrington	1
Wolverhampton	1	Bradford	0
Chesterfield	2	Barrow	1
Doncaster Rovers	1	Darlington	0
Durham City	3	Hartlepools United	0
New Brighton	0	Grimsby Town	0
Southport Central	0	Rotherham County	0
Lincoln City	3	Tranmere Rovers	1
Walsall	2	Halifax Town	0
Wigan Borough	3	Crewe Alexandra	0
Wrexham	1	Rochdale	1

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIV. III. (Southern).

Luton Town	1	Aberdare Athletic	0
B. and Boscombe	2	Millwall	0
Brighton and Hove	1	Exeter City	0
Charlton Athletic	0	Norwich City	0
Gillingham	2	Newport County	1
Northampton Town	3	Queen's Park R.	0
Plymouth Argyle	2	Swansea Town	0
Portsmouth	1	Bristol Rovers	1
Southend United	3	Brentford	1
Swindon Town	1	Reading	0
Watford	4	Merthyr Town	0

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—DIV. I.

Ayr United	2	St. Mirren	2
Celtic	0	Raith Rovers	0
Clydebank	1	Hamilton	0
Dundee	3	Airdrieonians	1
Falkirk	0	Hearts	0
Rangers	3	Hibernians	1
Morton	3	Queen's Park	1
Motherwell	4	Kilmarnock	0
Partick Thistle	6	Clyde	1
Third Lanark	2	Aberdeen	2

CRICKET.

PHŒNIX C.C. AVERAGES.

BATTING—ALL MATCHES.

	No. of inns.	Times not out.	Most in an inns.	Total runs.	Avge.
J. W. F. Crawford	12	2	123	440	44
A. P. Kelly	13	1	96	481	40
D. R. Pigot	20	2	86*	437	24.3
J. E. Beatty	11	1	72	200	20
J. Peacock	11	1	47*	194	19.4
W. Allen	25	4	52*	281	13.4
J. T. Ennis	14	0	55	178	12.7
C. Buttanshaw	18	2	48*	198	12.4
J. H. Pigot	10	0	38	92	9.2
D. J. Collins	14	1	35	113	8.7
J. P. Fitzgerald	14	3	14	67	6.1
F. R. Dunlop	21	3	58	147	8.1

Qualification for inclusion—10 innings. Also batted—J. P. Pigot, 6, 0, 194, 310, 51.6; R. W. Maxwell, 5, 1, 23, 79, 19.7; F. G. Messervy, 9, 0, 63, 169, 18.8; C. K. Mill, 5, 0, 19, 43, 8.6; C. S. Wallis, 9, 0, 42, 71, 7.9; W. E. Mooney, 9, 1, 16, 57, 7.1; C. J. Lynn-Grant, 6, 3, 6, 17, 5.6; D. L. Williams, 7, 0, 18, 30, 4.3.

Centuries as follows—J. W. F. Crawford, v. Dublin University, 123; J. P. Pigot, v. National University, 194.

Results of matches—Played, 27; won, 11; lost, 13; drawn, 3.

Runs for 4,391 for 268 wickets; average per wicket, 16.34.

Runs against 4,588 for 280 wickets; average per wicket, 16.38.

BOWLING—ALL MATCHES.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
E. L. Kidd	32	7	95	21	4.5
W. Allen	464	93	1267	105	12.1
F. R. Dunlop	164	39	589	32	18.4
F. G. Messervy	68	10	243	12	20.2
A. P. Kelly	73	11	245	12	20.4
C. Buttanshaw	57	7	294	14	21.0
D. R. Pigot	140	19	506	19	26.6

Qualification—10 wickets. Also bowled—J. D. Chayter, 19, 6, 36, 5, 7.2; M. Sugden, 16, 2, 52, 5, 10.4; J. W. F. Crawford, 59, 8, 155, 9, 17.2.

BATTING—SENIOR LEAGUE.

	No. of inns.	Times not out.	Most in an inns.	Total runs.	Avge.
J. P. Pigot	6	0	194	310	51.6
J. W. F. Crawford	11	1	123	416	41.6
A. P. Kelly	12	1	80	385	35.0
F. G. Messervy	3	0	63	90	30
D. R. Pigot	15	1	86*	347	23.1
R. W. Maxwell	5	1	23	79	19.7
J. T. Ennis	6	0	55	85	14.1
C. Buttanshaw	12	2	48*	154	15.4
J. E. Beatty	5	0	25	60	12.0
W. Allen	14	2	51	144	12.0
C. S. Wallis	6	0	42	69	11.5
J. Peacock	6	0	27	63	10.5
W. E. Mooney	6	1	16	51	10.2
J. D. Fitzgerald	8	3	12	43	8.6
J. H. Pigot	5	0	38	42	8.4
D. J. Collins	5	1	33	33	8.3
C. J. Lynn-Grant	4	2	6*	12	6
C. K. Mill	3	0	12	17	5.7

BOWLING AVERAGES. SENIOR LEAGUE MATCHES.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
E. L. Kidd	13	1	39	7	5.6
F. G. Messervy	27	5	94	7	13.4
W. Allen	313	64	866	63	13.7
J. W. F. Crawford	57	8	155	9	17.2
F. R. Dunlop	137	28	485	25	19.4
A. P. Kelly	72	11	227	11	20.6
C. Buttanshaw	56	6	231	9	25.6
D. R. Pigot	130	19	462	17	27.2

Results of League matches—Played, 16; won, 6; lost, 10.

Runs for—2,604 for 151 wickets; average, 17.2.

Runs against—2,910 for 153 wickets; average, 19.0.

BOXING.

TOURNAMENT IN THE ROTUNDA.

On Saturday afternoon a boxing tournament in aid of the unemployed members of the I.T. and G.W.U. was brought off before a large gathering in the Round Room of the Rotunda, kindly placed at the disposal of the promoters by the lessee, Mr. Kay. Mr. James Murphy acted as time-keeper, J. Young as referee, and Mr. J. Larkin as master of ceremonies. Some of our most proficient boxers had placed their services at the disposal of the committee, and the sport all round was high class. The chief bout was between William Gilmore (Belfast), holder of the Murphy Light-Weight Belt, and Battling Brannigan (Waterford). Although the result was a "no decision," it was apparent that Brannigan had the best of the exchanges. Jack Delaney (late National Army) beat Hodgins on points after a spirited set-to. Joe Mooney proved too quick and clever for Skinner Daly, who retired after three rounds, much the worse for wear. A six-round exhibition between Eddie Quinn and Peter Cullen was disappointing, being nothing more nor less than a "hugging" match, in which the referee showed considerable leniency to both the boxers. Ventnor and Doherty, both of the National Army, gave a very clever exhibition. Mahon deputised for Young MacDermott (who recently broke an arm) against Frankie Dwyer, and the pair gave a clever display. Mr. Jim Murphy and Peter Cullen gave an exhibition which proved very interesting. During an interval a presentation of a gold star was made by Mr. P. T. Daly to Jim Young for his past services, and a silver gong with mallet (used during the night's tournament) was presented to Mr. J. Murphy by the donor, Mr. Leonard, of Phibsborough. The funds should have benefited considerably.

THE RUNNING OF ABDULLA.

At Phœnix Park on Saturday, after the Maiden T.Y.O. Plate, the Stewards called Mr. Kirby, owner; Mr. Perry, trainer, and M. Wing, rider, of Abdulla, to explain the apparent discrepancy in the running of that horse at Limerick Junction on Thursday and in this race. Not being satisfied with the explanation offered, they referred the matter to the Stewards of the Turf Club.

Other Sport on Page 4.

PROSPECTUS.

The Subscription List will be closed on or before Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1923.

The permission of the Committee of the Stock Exchange to deal in the Debenture Stock now offered for subscription will be applied for, and application for an official quotation will also be made.

THE DAILY MAIL TRUST, LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

CAPITAL:

£2,500,000 IN ORDINARY SHARES OF £1 EACH, OF WHICH 2,000,000 ARE ISSUED WITH 2s. PAID UP.

£8,000,000 SEVEN PER CENT. GUARANTEED MORTGAGE DEBENTURE STOCK.

OFFER FOR SALE OF

£8,000,000 Seven per Cent. Guaranteed Mortgage Debenture Stock at £99 per Cent.

(Interest payable half-yearly—1st February and 1st August.)

Repayable at 107 per cent. by a Cumulative Sinking Fund of 2 per cent. per annum, the first payment to be made in December, 1924, and the last in 1947, to be applied up to 1st February, 1927, in purchases on the market at or below 110, or in default by drawings at 110 per cent., and thereafter by purchases on the market at or below 107, or in default by drawings at 107. Drawings will be made in December of each year, and the Stock so drawn paid off in the following February.

The Stock will be secured by a Trust Deed containing a First Specific Mortgage on the following securities:—800,000 Deferred Shares in Associated Newspapers, Limited, the quoted market price of which is £5,600,000; 918,056 fully paid Ordinary Shares (being the whole of the issued Capital) in E. Hulton and Company, Limited, now being acquired for the sum of £6,000,000; sundry other investments in allied Newspaper undertakings recently purchased for £200,000; a first charge on £1,500,000 of the uncalled capital of the Company, and a first floating charge on £300,000 of the uncalled capital, the undertaking and other assets of the Company.

The due payment of principal, premium and interest will be unconditionally guaranteed, jointly and severally, by the Daily Mirror Newspapers, Limited, and the Sunday Pictorial Newspapers (1920), Limited. Neither of these Companies has issued any Debentures or Debenture Stock, and each will covenant that it will not, during the currency of the Debenture Stock of this issue, create any Debentures or Debenture Stock charged upon its undertaking or assets.

The Company reserves the right to redeem the Debenture Stock, or any part thereof, at 107 per cent. on two months' notice, but if such redemption takes place earlier than 1st January, 1927, the redemption price will be 110 per cent. The Company also reserves the right to purchase Debenture Stock on the market at any price not exceeding 110 per cent., but such purchases will not be in substitution for annual drawings or for purchases out of the Sinking Fund.

The Company also reserves the right to realise, with the consent of the Trustees, all or any of the specifically mortgaged premises, the proceeds of such realisations when amounting to 10 per cent. of the Stock for the time being outstanding being applied in redeeming the Stock *pro rata*.

The Debenture Stock will be registered, and transferable in multiples of £1.

THE BRITISH, FOREIGN & COLONIAL CORPORATION, LIMITED, B.F.C. House, Gresham Street, E.C. 2,

will receive applications for the purchase from them of the above £8,000,000 Debenture Stock through their Bankers,

LONDON JOINT CITY & MIDLAND BANK, LIMITED, 5 Threadneedle Street, London, E.C. 2. and Branches,

AND

LLOYDS BANK LIMITED, 72 Lombard Street, London, E.C. 3, and Branches, at 99 per Cent.

PAYABLE

UPON APPLICATION	10	Per Cent.
„ ACCEPTANCE	50	„ „
„ 10th DECEMBER, 1923	20	„ „
„ 21st JANUARY, 1924	19	„ „
	99	„ „

Payment may be made in full on acceptance, or at any time thereafter, under discount at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

£1 0s. 9d (less Income Tax) per £100 of Stock will be paid on the 1st February, 1924, in discharge of interest to that date.

Applications from Shareholders in Associated Newspapers, Limited, Daily Mirror Newspapers, Limited, Amalgamated Press, Limited, and Sunday Pictorial Newspapers (1920), Limited, will receive preferential consideration.

Holders of the outstanding £1,600,000 Debenture Stock, which will be redeemed out of the proceeds of the above issue, are entitled to an allotment equal to their present holding.

The following information is furnished by Viscount Rothermere, the Chairman of the Company:—

To The Directors of the British, Foreign and Colonial Corporation, Limited,
B.F.C. House, Gresham Street, E.C. 2.

Geraldine House,
Fetter Lane, London, E.C. 4.,
15th October, 1923.

Gentlemen,—

With reference to the £8,000,000 Guaranteed Mortgage Debenture Stock of the Daily Mail Trust, Limited, which you are purchasing, I am pleased to furnish the following particulars:—

The Daily Mail Trust, Limited, was established in 1922, and owns 800,000 Deferred Shares in Associated Newspapers, Limited, to-day's market price of which is £5,600,000, representing over 53 per cent. of the Deferred Shares and therefore a controlling interest in that Company, and is acquiring for £6,000,000 the whole of the issued Share Capital of E. Hulton and Company, Limited, consisting of 918,056 fully paid shares of £1 each. The Daily Mail Trust, Limited, also owns investments in allied newspaper undertakings recently acquired for £200,000.

The £8,000,000 Debenture Stock is a first charge on these assets and is also secured on the uncalled Capital of the Daily Mail Trust, Limited, representing £1,800,000, and further it is guaranteed unconditionally by the Daily Mirror Newspapers, Limited, and Sunday Pictorial Newspapers (1920), Limited.

The Associated Newspapers, Limited, was formed in 1905. It owns the "Daily Mail," "Evening News," "Weekly Dispatch," and the "Overseas Daily Mail" and holds, apart from other important investments, the controlling interest in the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company, Limited, which produces over 55,000 tons of paper per annum and is a profitable concern.

The "Daily Mail" has the largest net sale and advertisement revenue of any daily newspaper in the world, and the "Evening News" occupies a premier position as an evening paper.

The net daily sale of the "Daily Mail" for the past nine months exceeded one million and three-quarters, the "Evening News" and the "Weekly Dispatch" each over three-quarters of a million.

The profits of the Associated Newspapers, Limited, have been steadily increasing. The annexed Certificate shows that, including the profits reserved for the past seven years, the average yearly profit was £355,690. The profit for the first five months of the current year's trading indicates that the final results for the twelve months should not be less than £1,000,000.

E. Hulton and Company, Limited, owns the "Evening Standard," "Daily Sketch," the "Sunday Herald" (published in London), and the "Daily Dispatch," the "Evening Chronicle," the "Sporting Chronicle," the "Sunday Chronicle" and the "Empire News" (published in Manchester), in addition to a number of periodicals.

With regard to the "Evening Standard," this will be sold for £250,000, payable in cash, to a separate Company in which the Daily Mail Trust, Limited, will hold a 49 per cent. interest.

The business of E. Hulton and Company, Limited, was established over 50 years ago and has in the main been progressive and successful. The average circulation for the six months ending June 30th, 1923, of the morning papers in this Group was 1,267,343, of the evening papers 868,039, and of the Sunday and weekly publications 4,518,349. The advertising revenue is satisfactory, the management good, and the business capable of further great expansion.

It will be seen from the Certificates of Messrs. Whinney, Smith and Whinney that the average profit was £377,701 16s. 9d. over the past five and a half years, and is £525,061 2s. 10d. for the six months of the current financial year to 30th June, 1923.

Arrangements are in hand whereby E. Hulton and Company, Limited, will acquire for £1,000,000 which will be provided out of its own cash assets, the whole of the share capital of the Associated Scottish Newspapers, Limited, now about to be registered with a capital of £900,000, divided into 500,000 7 per cent. Preference Shares, and 400,000 Ordinary Shares of One Pound each. The Scottish Company will acquire the "Daily Record," "Sunday Mail" and "Weekly Record," which are at present controlled by my son and myself, and are published in Glasgow. The average daily circulation of these papers for the eight months ended the 31st August, 1923, was, of the daily paper 283,132, and of the weekly papers 374,280.

The Certificate of Messrs. Chiene and Tait shows average profits of £68,296 over the past five and a half years, and £65,740 for the six months of the current financial year to 30th June last.

Messrs. Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths and Co.'s Certificate shows that the Guaranteeing Companies have earned large and increasing profits. Based on the results of the first six months of the current year, the profits for the whole year should be over £500,000, and be available for implementing the Guarantee. Further, these Companies have large interests in pulp mills in Canada, besides a very large interest in Albert E. Reed and Company, Limited, paper manufacturers, and the Empire Paper Mills, situated on the Thames.

The circulation of the "Daily Mirror" has averaged over 1,000,000 copies per day, and the "Sunday Pictorial" 2,160,297 copies per week over the last six months to September 30th, 1923.

Close co-operation already exists between Associated Newspapers, Limited, and the Guaranteeing Companies, and it is intended that this should be extended to the publications of the Hulton Group and the other papers about to be acquired, as it will ensure more economical operation of all the properties, and make large developments possible. The fact that some of these Companies control raw materials, and are thus to a large extent independent of the fluctuations of the paper market, should contribute materially to their prosperity and stabilise the past successes of the various undertakings.

The Guaranteeing Companies are giving undertakings that they will not create Debentures or Debenture Stock charged upon their respective properties, and similar arrangements are in the course of completion regarding E. Hulton and Company, Limited.

The proceeds of the present issue will be applied in repayment of the outstanding Debenture Stock and the purchase of the Share Capital of E. Hulton and Company, Limited.

The Securities upon which the Debenture Stock is charged, together with the net assets of the Guaranteeing Companies, computed on the basis mentioned above, represent a value of about £14,600,000. The average yearly profits of the Guaranteeing Companies and of Associated Newspapers, Limited, taken over a period of seven years, added to the average yearly profits of E. Hulton and Company, Limited, and the Scottish Newspapers taken for five and a half years, as shown by the respective Auditors' Certificates, were, together, £1,048,539; whereas based on the profits for the last six months of the various undertakings in the combine, which is the period giving the fairest indication of future earnings, and including the profits of the Guaranteeing Companies for the same period, they are likely to reach £2,500,000 for the current financial year.

Yours faithfully,

ROTHERMERE.

TRUSTEES FOR DEBENTURE STOCK HOLDERS.

THE LAW DEBENTURE CORPORATION, LIMITED, 24 Old Broad street, London, E.C.2.

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To this Offer:
CLIFFORD TURNER & HOPTON, 81/87 Gresham street, E.C.2.
To the Company:
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To the Trustees:
BIRCHAM & CO., 50 Old Broad street, E.C.2.

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J. & A. SCRIMGEOUR, 6 Austin Friars, London, E.C.2.
READ & BRIGSTOCK, English House, 58 Gresham street, E.C.2.
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COPPOCK & BRATBY, 30 Cross street, Manchester.
HORNBY, TOBIN & OCKLESTON, 3 Tithebarn street, Liverpool.
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COPIES OF THE FULL OFFER FOR SALE, UPON THE TERMS OF WHICH ALONE APPLICATIONS FOR THE DEBENTURE STOCK WILL BE CONSIDERED, AND WHICH CONTAINS THE AUDITORS' CERTIFICATES MENTIONED IN VISCOUNT ROTHERMERE'S LETTER, CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE COMPANY, THE BANKERS, THE BROKERS, THE TRUSTEES, AND THE ISSUING HOUSE.

FINANCIAL NEWS

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

The following is a full record of the business done on the Dublin and Belfast Stock Exchanges last week in each department, except Consols and War Loans. The day on which the business was done is indicated by the initial letter in parentheses, and dealings in odd lots are marked by an asterisk:—

DUBLIN.

Guaranteed Land—*61 (Th.), *61½ (F.).
2¾ p.c. Land Act Stock—*60½ (T.), 60½ (W.).
3 p.c. Land Act Stock—66⅛ (M.), *66½ (T.), 66½ (W.).
Dublin Stock—*67½c (M.), 67½c (W.).
Dublin Port and Docks Stock—58½ (Th.), 60 (F.).
Bank of Ireland—247½c 8c (M.), 248½c (T.), *248½c (W.), 248c (Th.).
Hibernian Bank—6⅞ (W.), 6⅞ (Th.).
Munster and Leinster Bank—6⅞ (M.), 6⅞ (W.), 6⅞ (Th.), 6⅞ (F.).
National Bank—*19½ (M.), 19½ ¾ ⅞ ½ (T.), 19½ (W.), 19⅞ (Th.), 19⅞ ½ (F.).
Provincial Bank—22½ (M.), 22½c (W.).
Royal Bank—*13½ x.d. (Th.).
Athenry and Tuam—95/- (F.).
Ballinrobe and Claremorris—60/- x.d. (F.).
Collooney and Swinford—98/9 (F.).
Cork and Bandon Deb.—62 (M.).
Dublin S.E. Ord.—18½ (W.), 18½ (Th.), *18½ (F.).
Dublin S.E. "A" Deb.—59½ (T.).
Dublin S.E. "B" Deb.—57½ (M.).
Great Northern Ord.—*62 (Th.), *62 (F.).
Great Northern Pref.—*66½ (M.), 66 (Th.), 65½ (F.).
Great Northern Guar.—*65½ (M.), 65 (W.).
Great Northern Deb.—76 (M.), 76 (W.), 77 (F.).
Great Southern Ord.—*48½ (M.), *49 8½ (W.), 48½ (Th.), 48½ (F.).
Great Southern Pref.—59c (T.).
Great Southern Guar.—*61 *2 (F.).
Great Southern Deb.—75½ (T.), 75½ (Th.).
Loughrea and Attymon—60/- x.d. (F.).
Midland G.W. Ord.—36 (T.), *36 (Th.).
Midland G.W. Guar.—58 (F.).
Midland G.W. 4 p.c. Pref.—54 (T.), 55 (W.), 55 (Th.).
Midland G.W. 4 p.c. Deb.—68b 70a (F.).
Midland G.W. 4½ p.c. Deb.—*73 ½ (T.), 73½ (W.).

Anglo-Argentine Tram 5 p.c. Deb.—75½ (M.).
Alliance Gas—7½ (T.), 7½ (W.), 7 (Th.).
Bradford Dyers—56/- (M.).
British-American Tobacco—107/- *6/6 (M.), 106/9 6/3 (W.), 106/- (Th.), 105/7½ (F.).
Burke Pref.—*70/- (T.).
Burke Deb.—8½ (T.), 8½ x.d. (Th.).
Guinness Pref.—12⅛ (M.), 12½ (T.), *12⅛ (Th.), *12½ (F.).
City Dublin Steam—138 (T.), 138 (Th.), 138½ (F.)
Grand Canal Ord.—32/6b 49/-a (F.).
Crowe Wilson Pref.—15/- (T.).
Callcos—27/4½ (Th.).
Coats—69/3 (M.), 69/7½ (T.), 69/7½ (W.), 69/7½ 9/6 (Th.), 69/7½ (F.).
Coats "B" Pref.—24/1½ (M.), 23/10½ (T.), 23/6 (Th.).
Courtaulds—*61/- (F.).
Dublin Distillers Ord.—67/6 (M.).
Dublin Distillers Deb.—63 (T.).
Dublin Tram Ord.—*7 (W.), *7 (Th.).
Dublin Tram Pref.—9½ (M.), 9½ (W.), 9½ (Th.).
Dockrell Pref.—*15/- (W.).
Dockrell Deb.—6 (M.).
Dublin City Market—5⅛ (W.).
French Dunlops—*14/9 (M.).
Fine Spinners—48/- (T.), 48/6 (W.), 48/9 (F.).
Findlater Pref.—9/- (M.).
Guinness—37 6⅞ 7 (M.), 37 7⅛ (T.), 37b 37⅛a (W.), 37 7⅛ 7 (Th.), 37⅛ *⅛ (F.).
Hibernian Fire—4/- (W.), 4/1½ *4/- (Th.).
Helton Pref.—68/- (M.).
Irish Civil Service Building—*21 (F.).
"Irish Times" 6½ p.c.—15/- (M.).
"Irish Times" 5½ p.c.—*65/- (F.).
Irish-American Oil Pref.—*19/3 (M.).
Imperial Tobacco (Canada)—26/- (M.), 26/-c (T.).
Imperial Tobacco—74/3 (M.), 73/7½ (W.), 73/- (Th.), 73/6 (F.).
Jameson Deb.—*7½ (W.), 7½ (Th.).
Johnston, Mooney Ord.—60/- (T.).
Johnston, Mooney Pref.—*77/6 (W.).
Johnston, Mooney Deb.—*6 (Th.).
Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—21/9 (M.), 21/7½ (W.), 21/9c (F.).
Lever 8 p.c. Pref.—21/- (M.), 20/10½ (Th.).
Marconi—45/6 (M.), 46/- (T.), 46/- 6/3 (W.), 45/9 (F.).
Marconi Pref.—40/- (T.).
Maguire and Gatchell Pref.—50/- (W.), *50/- (Th.).
Matterson Pref.—55/- (M.).
Mexican Eagle—*21/6 1/9 (W.), 22/- (Th.), *21/9 (F.).
Power Pref.—*20/- (W.), 20/- (Th.), *20/- (F.).
Provincial Tram Ord.—1/3 (T.), 1/3 (W.).
Parent Tyre Pref.—11/3 (T.), 11/- (Th.).
Pim Ord.—71/- (T.).
Pim Deb.—64 (Th.).
Parkes Pref.—13/6 (Th.).
Radio Corp. Pref.—15/1½ (W.).
Radio Corp. Common—13/- (F.).
Sewing Cottons—*49/6 (M.), 48/6 (T.), 48/- (W.), 48/3 (F.).
Shells—*65/- *4/6 (M.), 66/3 (W.), 67/5 8/6 *8/3 8/- (Th.).
Thwaites Ord.—75/-b 80/-a (F.).
Tomkins and Courage—24/9 (Th.).
Vickers—*13/- (M.), *13/- (W.), 13/7½ (Th.).
Vickers Tax Free Pref.—16/6 (M.).
c—Cash. b—Bid. a—Asked.

BELFAST.

Belfast Corporation 6½ p.c. Mortgages—105½ (W.).
Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c. 1940-78 (F.).
Belfast Harbour Commissioners 3½ p.c.—73 (M.), 73½ (W.).
Belfast Water Commissioners 3½ p.c. 1926—90½b. (F.).
London City and Midland—8½ (W.), 8¾ (Th.).
Northern Bank A—5¼ (T.), 5¼ (Th.).
Provincial Bank—22¼ (T.).
Westminster Bank—17½ (M.), 17½ (W.), 17¾ (Th.).
Westminster Bank New—50/6 (F.).
Belfast and Co. Down Railway Ord.—88½ (M.).
Belfast and Co. Down Railway 4 p.c. Pref.—75 (W.), 74 (Th.).
Great Northern Railway 4 p.c. Deb.—75½ (T.).
Great Northern Railway Stock—62 (W.), 62 (Th.).
Great Northern Railway 4 p.c. Guaranteed—65½ (F.).
Belfast Ropeworks Co.—95 (M.).
British-American Tobacco Ord.—106/3 (M.), 107/- (T.), 105/6 (W.), 106/- (F.).
British-American Aobacco 5 p.c. Pref.—20/3 (Th.), 20/3 (F.).
Coats Ord.—69/3 (W.), 69/6, 69/9 (F.).
Courtaulds—61/6 (W.).
Cowan 5 p.c. Pref.—5½ (M.).
Cowan Ord.—4 (W.).
Cuthbert 5 p.c. 1st Mort. Deb.—93 (T.).
Distillers New Pref.—10/- (Th.).
Dunlop Rubber—7/6, 7/4½ (W.).
Dunville and Co.—13½ (Th.).
Hughes Ord.—41/- (W.).
Imperial Tobacco Co.—74/- (M.), 74/- (T.), 74/-, 73/6 (W.), 73/4½, 73/- (Th.), 73/- (F.).
Irish Distillery—7½a. (F.).
Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref.—21/9 (M.), 21/10½ (W.), 21/10½ (Th.).
Lever Bros. 8 p.c. Pref.—21/2½ (W.).
Mexican Eagles—21/6 (W.).
Mulligan and Co.—9/3 (F.).
Sawers 5 p.c. Pref.—15/4½ (T.).
Shell Transport—23/6 (Th.).
Swedish Match—8½ (F.).
Tyre Investment Trust Ord.—4/4½ (Th.).
Vickers Ord.—12/10½ (M.).
White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord.—24/3 (M.), 24/6 (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. Ord.—28½ (M.), 28⅞ (T.), 28⅞ (W.), 28⅞ (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. 7 p.c. Pref.—21/6 (T.), 21/6 (W.), 21/- (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. 6 p.c. Pref.—10 (W.), 10 (Th.), 10 (F.).
(a—Asked; b—Bid.)

PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

Australia 5 p.c. (£19 paid), ¼-½ prem. Austrian 6 p.c. Sterling Bonds (£60 paid), 3½-¼ prem. Barker (John) 6 p.c. Pref. (11/6 paid), par-6d. prem. Hoffmann Manufacturing 6 p.c. Debs. (fully paid), 95½-6½. Kasimbazar Raj 6½ p.c. First Mort. Deb. (£50 paid), 1½-1½ dis. Lancashire Electric Light and Power Ord. (4/- paid), 1/-1/6 prem.; do. 7 p.c. Pref. (6/- paid), 1/3-1/9 prem. Lyons 7 p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 24/9-25/9. Newfoundland 5 p.c. (fully paid), 103½-4. Newfoundland Power and Paper 4½ p.c. "A" Mort. Debs. (fully paid), 98½-½; do. 5½ p.c. "B" Deb. Stock (fully paid), 102½-3½. Nigerian 4 p.c. (£5 paid), 2½-1½ dis. South Manchurian Railway 5 p.c. Bonds (fully paid), 85½-6½. Tamplin 7½ p.c. "B" Pref. (7/6 paid), par-6d. prem. Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref. (fully paid), 19/9-20/3. Victoria 5 p.c. (fully paid), 100½-½.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The weekly production of the Mexican Eagle Oil Company has jumped to 188,000 barrels. This is the best weekly output for many months, but it is, perhaps, inadvisable to assume that a permanent change for the better has taken place. In the last week of September the production rose from 143,000 to 180,000 barrels, to fall back sharply in the following week.

The improvement in the price of both lead and spelter is being reflected in an advance in Zinc Corporation Ordinary Shares, now 12/3, compared with 10/- at the end of last month. The corporation has stopped its zinc concentrator on the exhaustion of its tailings heap, and is re-adapting the same to deal with the mine material. Meanwhile it is treating about 15,000 tons a month of lead ore for about 3,600 tons of lead concentrates and 5,000 to 6,000 tons of zinc middlings. Dividends on the Ordinary Shares were resumed last May, and the current Preference dividend has been paid.

A cable, dated October 19, referring to the Oropouche Well, was received in London on Saturday from the British Controlled Oilfields Company's manager in Trinidad, to the effect that on further drilling in Well No. 1 a rich oil sand was struck with strong gas pressure at 1,130 feet. The well blew out 80 feet above the floor of the derrick, but is now under control.

The Stock Exchange is still waiting for developments of the European situation which is fraught with possibilities that make for caution. It is hoped, however, that the Stresemann Government will prove sufficiently strong to hold Germany together, and gradually to evolve order out of the monetary chaos. Signs of reviving activity in trade are, perhaps, responsible for the slackening of the demand for gilt-edged investments (says *The Sunday Times*). The Government's plans are creating a certain amount of work, but there are also those who look for a revival of the Continental demand for British products. Russia is, undoubtedly, recovering slowly, and with Germany embarrassed by her currency difficulties, and France by the financing of the Ruhr, it looks as if there will be a clear field for British products in the world's markets. The revival of interest in Industrials therefore, may prove more than transitory. The buyer at present prices of leading Iron and Steel Shares such as Guest Keene and Babcock and Wilcox cannot go far wrong, while Dorman Longs have possibilities in view of coming developments. Among Coal Shares, North's Navigation Collieries still appear a good purchase, and Lambert Bros., despite the slight set-back in profits shown by the report, are a satisfactory holding. Tea Shares will come again in due course.

The wreckage of an aeroplane, apparently English, has been washed ashore at Le Touquet. No aeroplane engaged in cross-Channel traffic has been lost.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

STERLING DEVELOPS GREATER WEAKNESS.

Five million South African bills fell due for repayment, and probably this explains why the condition of loanable credit was rather more comfortable. After day-to-day money was renewed at 2½ per cent. there was found to be plenty of loans available for the week-end down to 2 per cent. Fixtures were 2¼ per cent.

The selling rate for supplementary Treasury bills was again fixed at 2¾ per cent.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed July 5, 1923, 4%.

60 days (fine)	3⅝				
3 months	3⅝	3⅞	Trade	4	4½%
4 months	3⅝	3⅞	„	4½	4½%
6 months	3¾	3⅞	„	4½	4¾%
Loans to brokers day-to-day				2¾	3%
„ for a week					2½%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call					2%
„ Discount houses at call					2%
„ „ at notice					2¼%

Very little business was going on in discounts. The tone was easy, with the new Treasuries barely 3 per cent., while fine three months' bank bills still specially inquired for, were 3⅛ per cent., with 3¼ per cent. quoted now and again.

The spot price of bar silver was unchanged at 31¾d. per ounce, while the forward quotation advanced ⅛d. on Indian buying, to 31⅞d. per ounce.

Foreign exchanges were depressed by political uncertainties and by a fall in the value of sterling on New York to 4.51¼ dollars. Francs weakened to 76.00 to the £ and Belgian francs to 88.00, while marks were nominally quoted at 70—80 milliards to the £. Italian lire were steady at 100, and Dutch florins a little dearer at 11.54½. Spanish pesetas and Polish marks further deteriorated, the latter being offered at the rate of 5,000,000 to the £, but Austrian, Swiss, Greek, and Rumanian currencies showed a slight appreciation. Argentine dollars recovered to 39d., and Indian rupees were again higher at 1s. 4⅞d.—1s. 4⅛d. The following are closing quotations:—

—	October 20.		October 19.		Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97½		97½		97½d
Amsterdam	11.54¾	11.54¾	11.55½	11.56	12.10
B. Ayres	38⅞	39⅛	38⅜	38⅞	47.58
Barcelona	33.60	33.62	33.56	33.58	25.22
Berlin	70.80 Milliards		51 Milliards		20.40
Bombay	1/4½	1/4⅝	1/4¾	1/4½	2/0
Brussels	87.95	88.05	87.25	87.30	25.22½
Calcutta	1/4½	1/4⅝	1/4¼	1/4½	2/0
Christiania	29.30	29.35	29.30	29.35	18.15
Copenhagen	25.80	25.83	25.84	25.88	18.15
Czecho-Slov	151¾	152	151¾	152¼	—
Finland	168½	169	169	169¼	25.22½
Greece	270	275	287	293	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/2⅞	2/3⅛	2/2⅞	2/3⅛	—
Hungary	75,000	90,000	75,000	90,000	—
Italy	99⅞	100⅛	100⅛	100¼	25.22½
Lisbon	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	53⅛d
Madrid	33.60	33.63	33.55	33.57	25.22½
Mexico	25d		25d		24⅛d.
Montreal	4.56¾	4.57¼	4.58¾	4.58¾	4.86
Montevideo	38⅞	39⅛	38⅞	39⅛	51d.
New York	4.51	4.51¼	4.52⅜	4.52⅝	4.86
Paris	75.95	76.05	75.30	75.40	25.22
Poland	5,000,000 Sellers		4,750,000		—
RiodeJan	4⅞	5⅛	4⅞	5	16d.
Roumania	950	960	960	970	—
Shanghai	3.0¾	3/1¼	3/0¾	3/1¼	—
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2/4⅛
Stockholm	17.13	17.15	17.17	17.19	18.15
Switzerland	25.24	25.26	25.24	25.26	25.22
Valparaiso	37.60		37.50		13.33
Vienna	319,000	324,000	320,000	325,000	—
Yokohama	2/1⅞	2/1⅞	2/1⅞	2/1⅞	54.

BIRMINGHAM MOTOR SHARE MARKET.

Friday's closing quotations:—Alldays and Onions, 6d.; Austin Ord., 1/3; do. B Pref., 2/3; do. Prefd. 10 p.c., 1/4½; do. Deb., 48½; Belsize Motor, 2/-; Birmingham Small Arms, 8/6; Bluemel Bros., 42/6; Bowden Brake, 11/-; Bretts Stamping, 16/9; Brolt, 3/-; Brooks (J. B.), 45/6; Calcott Bros., 39/6; Calthorpe Invest., 5/-; Charron Motor, 2/-; Components, 4/9; Coventry Chain, 19/3; Crossley Motors, 4/9; Dennis Bros., 30/3; Enfield Cycle, 24/1½; Fodens, 23/-; Guy Motors, 2/3; Halford Cycle, 48/6; Halley's Motor, 5/-; Harper Bean, 1/3; Hughes Johnson, 23/4½; Humber, 25/3; do. Pref., 16/3; James Cycle, 15/9; Leyland Motor, 2/9; Leyland Rubber, 23/-; Lucas (Jos.), 46/10½; Maudslay, 6/6; Napier Ord., 11/-; do. Pref., 16/3; New Hudson, 14/-; Riley (Coventry), 5/6; Rolls Royce, 30/3; Rovers, 15/1½; Rudge-Whitworth, 16/-; do. Pref., 3½; S. T. D. Motors, 6/-; do. Pref., 11/6; Singer and Co., 22/3; Smith (S.) and Sons, 2/-; Smith's Stamping, 22/6; Standard Motor, 43/-; Star Engineering, 3/6; Stepney Spare Wheel, 17/-; Stevens (A. J.), 23/6; Straker Squire, 9d.; Swift, 5/6; do. Pref., 11/-; Triumph, 29/6; Vandervell (C. A.) and Co. Prefd., 4/9; Vauxhall Motor, 6/3; Vulcan Motor, 2/9; Walseley Motor Pref., 7/-; Wrigley (E. G.), 2/6; Dunlop Rubber, 7/6; do. A Pref., 14/6; do. B Pref., 14/3; Parent Tyre Ord., 16/-; do. Pref., 11/3; do. Deferred, 23/6; Tyre Investment, 4/7½.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ALLYNUGGER TEA.—Interim Pref. dividend of 3 per cent., less tax.

AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING.—Dividend of 1¼ per cent. on Common Stock.

ANGLO-DUTCH PLANTATIONS OF JAVA.—Profit for the year amounts to £231,652 and £51,644 was brought in, making £283,296. An interim dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, was paid in May last, and the directors now propose a final dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, leaving £109,581 to be carried forward. As the company's financial resources are wholly needed for the normal development of the original property, the purchase of new estates requires the provision of further capital. The directors therefore intend to create £1,000,000 Debenture Stock, of which £500,000, bearing interest at 5 per cent. per annum, will be offered to the shareholders at an early date with the option to convert into shares on favourable terms.

BRAMPTON BROTHERS.—Dividend on the Ordinary shares at 10 per cent., free of tax.

BRAZIL RAILWAY.—The directors' report accompanying the bondholders' committee's report for the year 1922 states that the income from investments provide for the service of the First and Second Debentures. The fall in the exchange has reduced the normal income to such a point that after entirely exhausting the reserve fund of the First Debentures in 1922, the company was only able to pay in July the coupon due April 1, 1923, and then by only using income which was destined to pay the coupon due October 1. The deficit on the latter date was estimated to exceed £50,000 in interest and amortisation. In these circumstances the company had to ask its Debenture-holders to agree to the transformation of their Debentures into Cumulative Income Securities. This was agreed to an August 3, in return for an increase in the rate of interest and in the annual sinking fund instalment.

BUSHELL, WATKINS AND SMITH.—Dividend of 8½ per cent., less tax, on Ord. for half-year.

CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.—Dividend of 3 per cent. and a bonus of 1 per cent. on Capital Stock for three months.

CAROLINA TEA OF CEYLON.—Final dividend on Ordinary of 32 per cent., less tax, making 50 per cent. for year.

DUCKWARI TEA.—Dividend on Ordinary shares at 20 per cent. per annum, less tax, for half-year ended 30th June last. Arrears of Preference dividend to 30th September last—namely, 3½ years—have already been paid.

HAMMOND'S BRADFORD BREWERY.—Further dividend of 5 per cent. plus a bonus of 5 per cent. on the Ordinary shares, making a distribution of 15 per cent. for the year.

HODGSONS' KINGSTON BREWERY.—Dividend of 5/- per share, less tax, making 10 per cent.; also bonus 4/- per share, less tax.

H. WILLIAMSON.—Dividend at rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Pref. Shares for half-year.

MARMITE FOOD EXTRACT.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., free of tax.

PRINCE LINE.—Net profits of Prince Line for year ended 30th June, 1923, after providing for taxation, amounted to £131,556, plus £178,280 brought in, making £309,836. Final dividend of 5 per cent. recommended, making 7½ per cent., free of tax. £40,000 added to general reserve, and £179,612 carried forward.

SCOTTISH AUSTRALIAN MINING.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent., less tax.

SENGAT RUBBER.—Dividend of 1½d. per share, less tax.

SOUTH BRITISH INSURANCE.—Dividend for last six months of year of 11d. per share.

TAYLOR'S EAGLE BREWERY.—Interim dividend on 5½ per cent. Preference shares due 1st November will not be paid this year.

WILSON'S BREWERY.—Interim dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, on Ord.

LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

Nine steamers landed cattle and fresh meat at Liverpool from overseas ports during the past week. The supply of mutton and lamb continues very small, but there was a considerable increase in other classes of meat. The vessels with their freights were as follows:—The Suevic, from Brisbane, with 1,965 quarters of beef; the Turcoman, from Montreal, with 606 cattle; the Montlaurier, from Quebec, with 2,088 boxes of meat; the Durham, from Brisbane, with 1,290 boxes of meat and 1,000 quarters of beef; the Port Darwin, from Australia, with 8,730 quarters of beef; the Celtic, from New York, with 1,246 boxes of pork; the Corrientes, from Buenos Ayres, with 2,197 sheep and lamb carcases, 2,061 boxes, etc., of meat and 38,597 quarters of beef; the Corinaldo, from Montreal, with 653 carcases of pork; and the Carpentaria, from Australia, with 4,972 quarters of beef—making a total of 606 cattle, 2,197 sheep and lamb carcases, 1,898 boxes and carcases of pork, 14,300 boxes, etc., of meat, and 55,264 quarters of beef. Compared with the imports of the preceding week, these figures show an increase of 606 cattle, 969 boxes, etc., of pork, 13,354 boxes of meat and 15,453 quarters of beef, and a decrease of 4,640 sheep and lamb carcases.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, October 22, 1923.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, 11 o'clock—Arrangt., veh. sc., E. F. Collins; do., pr. dts., Little and Cullen; Kennedy, veh. mortge. sc., Findlater and Co; Arrangt., pr. dts., E. F. Collins; do., sc. comp., Molloy, Fayle, and Co.; Kennedy, do., J. J. Early; arrangt., do., P. M. Seales; Rice, reference, F. J. Allen; Ward, veh. sc., Caser, Clay, and Collins; arrangt., sc. comp., E. F. Collins; Doherty, do., Horan and Devine.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Before Mr. Lynch, 11 o'clock—Baron Lecomfield, vouch. from 15th inst. Before Mr. Stubbs, 11 o'clock—John R. Battersby (Mrs. Hope's superior interest), discharge rulings and vouch. Before Mr. Franks, 11 o'clock—Sir Maurice Fitzgerald, vouch.

DAIL EIREANN COURTS (WINDING UP) COMMISSION.—Before the Judicial Commissioners. In Court No. 1 (Dail Courts Commission Buildings), Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock—Sullivan v. Scully and ors. Before the Assistant Commissioners. Motion—Dublin Corporation v. Gaynor. For Hearing—Douser v. Irish National Insurance Co.; Redmond v. do.; Purcell v. do.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (THE BALTIC), Saturday.—WHEAT—Cargo market steady, but general trade, quiet. The Hague, 5,500 tons Rosafe 62½lbs. afloat sold to France at 43/6, No. 1 Northern Manitoba Oct. from Atlantic ports sellers 44/6, Jan.-Feb. Pacific 43/3. Parcels steady, quiet, and business recorded comprised No. 1 Northern Manitoba Oct. sold 43/1½, Oct.-Nov. 42/4½ per 480lbs. MAIZE cargoes dull; Plate afloat sellers 34/9 to 35/. Parcels quiet; Plate Oct.-Nov. 34/9 sellers, Nov.-Dec. 35/- per 480lbs. BARLEY quiet, unaltered, both with regard to cargoes and parcels. OATS dull; Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 21/3, Oct.-Nov. 20/10½, Jan.-Feb. 21/3; No. 2 Canadian Western Oct. 26/-, No. 2 feed do. 23/- per 320lbs.

NEWCASTLE, Saturday.—Wheat—foreign 10/- to 10/6, English 9/- to 10/-; new barley 8/- to 10/-, old 8/-; maize 8/6; Scotch oats 10/- to 10/2, foreign 8/4 to 10/-; boxings 9/-; bran 6/6, broad bran 8/-, all per cwt.; flour 37/6 to 39/6 per sack.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE, Friday.—Irish apples at sales were 20/- to 27/- per barrel. Vegetables in very large week-end supply. Values worked out upon very similar basis to yesterday in the main, but dragging and irregular finish. York cabbage 15/- to 25/-, and extras 30/- to 35/- per load; swede turnips 1/6 to 1/9 per cwt., cauliflowers 1/- to 2/6 and 2/9 per dozen, white turnips 2d. to 5d. per bundle.

DUBLIN POTATO, Friday.—Supplies fair; trade slow. Co. Dublin potatoes 7/- to 7/6, extra handled Queens occasionally 8/-, railway potatoes 6/6 to 7/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FISH, Friday.—Moderate supplies of fish on market, including 7 chests lobsters and 15 boxes herrings. Slow demand. Best lobsters went 20/- to 30/- per 13, and others 2/6 to 5/-, 12/6, and 17/6 per lot average; turbot 1/- to 12/6 and 15/-, brill 6d. to 6/- and 7/- each, best soles 25/- to 35/- and 40/- per 9 pairs, others 2/6 to 12/6 and 17/6 per ditto, best plaice 4/- to 6/- per 4, others 3/- to 5/- per 8, half boxes plaice 20/- to 60/-, ray 7/6 to 12/6, herrings 5/- to 12/.

CORK BUTTER, Saturday.—The market shows a firmer tone and increased activity. Creameries 188/- to 192/- per cwt., choicest mild cured 186/- upwards, farmers' fresh parcels 145/-.

GRIMSBY FISH, Saturday.—Forty-four North Sea trawlers and one liner landed poor supply. Demand fair. Plaice 13/-, lemon soles 18/-, halibut 16/- to 18/-, cod 6/- to 9/-, skate 6/- to 8/-, small haddocks 3/-, kit 4/6, gibbed 6/3, dabs 8/- to 9/-, codlings 6/-, whiting 3/6 per stone; soles 2/2, turbot 1/-, brill 1/2 per lb.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Saturday.—Supply fair; demand fair. Soles 23d. to 26d., slips 16d. to 22d. per lb.; live eels 16/- to 25/-, dead 12/- to 17/- draught, turbot 13/- to 14/-, brill 10/- to 12/-, plaice 12/- to 15/-, halibut 14/- to 17/-, lemon soles 14/- to 16/-, whitches 8/- to 10/-, cod 7/- to 8/6, whiting 4/- to 5/-, gurnet 4/-, hake 9/- to 10/-, haddocks 4/- to 6/- per stone.

LONDON POTATO, Saturday.—There is a moderate demand for best descriptions at late rates, but inferior grades difficult to move. Lincoln King Edwards 6/6, British Queens 6/-, Arran Chiefs 6/-, Eclipe 5/-, Essex Eclipse 5/-, blackland King Edwards 5/- per cwt.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT, Saturday.—Beef—Scotch sides, long 6/- to 6/8, short 7/- to 7/8; English sides, 5/- to 5/8; Irish, 5/- to 5/4; Argentine chilled hind quarters, 4/4. Mutton—Scotch tegs 8/- to 9/-, wethers 7/4 to 8/4; English wethers, 7/- to 8/-. Lambs—English, 8/- to 8/8; Scotch hills, 6/- to 8/-. Trade quie; retail prices nominally unaltered.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Saturday.—SUGAR—The market closed the week with a steady tone. Tate and Lyles' cubes 60/6 to 61/6, gran. 57/7½ to 58/1½, yellow crystals 52/1½, white Java spot 53/6 for medium quality forward mostly nominal; Czecho gran. Nov.-Dec. sold 25/9 f.o.b. Hamburg; Belgian gran. Nov.-Dec. sold 25/1½, crystals 24/9 f.o.b. Antwerp. Raw refining kinds steady. Brazilian, basis 80 p.c. spot Liverpool sold 18/9, do. Oct.-Nov. sellers 19/- c.f. and i. terms U.K. White terminal market very steady, and fair dealings include Oct. delivery at 27/-, Nov. 25/9, Dec. 25/- cwt. COFFEE—Spot market tends against buyers, and there is a good demand, particularly for East Indian and the lower grades. COCOA—Market quiet, unaltered. TEA—There is a fair movement in new season's China at full recent rates. RICE—Market quiet, unaltered; two stars Rangoon spot 15/9 value, Oct.-Nov. 14/1½. Japanese peas, spot 24/- per cwt. SPICE—Pepper steady, but a quiet demand ensued; black Singapore Oct.-Dec. L.S. quoted 4½d., Lampong 3½d., Muntok white Nov.-Jan. 6 3-16d., Jan.-March buyers 6½d. Zanzibar cloves, Oct.-Dec. buyers 1/3½, Nov.-Jan. 1/3½, Jan.-March 1/3½. TAPIOCA unaltered. Sago Flour—Nov.-Jan. buyers 13/7½. Desiccated coconut, spot halves 43/- per cwt. JUTE fairly steady; first grade Sept. Continent sold £22, Oct.-Nov. buyers £21 10/-, Nov.-Dec. buyers £21 15/-, Dec.-Jan. done and buyers £22 2/6, Jan.-Feb. buyers £22 5/-, and sellers £22 10/- per ton; hessians unaltered. HEMP—Manila about steady, but quiet; J grade Dec.-Feb. and Jan.-March quoted £31 15/-, K £26 5/-, L £25 15/-, M £23 15/- per ton. African sisal, Oct.-Dec. sellers £35 10/- per ton. SHELLAC steady, quiet; T.N. spot 310/-, Dec. sellers 305/-, Mar. value 302/6 per cwt. COPRA quiet and prices mostly weaker; F.M.S. Straits August-Oct. Rotterdam sellers £28, Oct.-Dec. sold £27 2/6, Jan.-Mar. £26 15/-, Dutch E.I. August-Oct. sold £27 17/6 to £27 15/, Oct.-Dec. value £27 1/3, South Sea Oct.-Dec. quoted £26 10/-, Cebu do. £26 15/-, Manila Oct.-Nov. Marseilles £26 15/. PALM KERNELS quiet; Nov.-Jan. Liverpool quoted £18 6/3 per ton. RUBBER—With depressed advices by cable from America, also reported liquidations in Singapore, the Market developed a lower condition of affairs; standard plantation crepe and sheet spot, also Oct., sold 1/1½ to 1/1⅜, Nov. 1/1½ to 1/1⅜, Nov.-Dec. 1/1½, Dec. 1/1½ to 1/8½, Jan.-March 1/2½ to 1/2, April-June 1/2½ to 1/2⅛. To New York—Standard sheet Dec.-Jan. sold 1/2 to 1/1½ per lb. c.f. and i. Wild unaltered. OILS—Linseed firm; spot 42/-, Nov.-Dec. sold 40/-, Jan.-April sold 37/1½ to 37/-, May-August 34/9 value. Rape and Cotton unaltered. Coconut—Ceylon Oct.-Nov. 43/9 per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed firm; Calcutta Sept.-Oct. London quoted £21 10/-, Oct.-Nov. £21, Plate Dec.-Jan. Hull £17 2/6, Jan.-Feb. £16 12/6. Rapeseed dull; Toria, also R. B. Ferozepore, Oct.-Nov. sellers £17; jambo £13 5/. Cottonseed quiet; Egyptian black Oct. sellers £11 10/-, white £11, Bombay Dec.-Jan. £9 5/- per ton; gingelly steady. Chinese, Sept.-Oct. Rotterdam sellers £23 17/6, Nov.-Dec. £23, and buyers £22 17/6. Groundnuts, bold Bombay Jan.-Feb. sellers £21 2/6, Chinese decorticated Dec.-Jan. £21 18/9 per ton.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Saturday.—Imported during week 5,050 tons, melted 3,070 tons, stock 14,506 tons. Fine crystals 58/3, fine granulated 56/6, ordinary 56/-, yellows 45/- to 50/- per cwt., duty paid. The market remains steady and a moderate business doing.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Saturday.—American, retail request. Brazilian quotations raised 68 points. East Indian quotations raised 20 points. Egyptian quiet. October 17.38d., November 17.01d., December 16.88d., January 16.74d., February 16.60d., March 16.48d. Sales 2,000, imports 358 bales. Market very steady.

LONDON HAY AND STRAW, Saturday.—Market quiet; best qualities wanted. Best meadow hay, new £5 to £5 10/-, medium £4 to £4 10/-, inferior £3 to £3 10/-, best clover (new) £5 10/- to £6 5/-, best mixtures and sainfoin (new) £5 5/- to £6; best trussed wheat straw 70/- to 75/-, barley and oat ditto 80/- to 90/- per ton, delivered.

LONDON FREIGHTS—Saturday.

Homeward markets closed the week with a very steady tone, and there was a fair inquiry for tonnage, principally foodstuffs, at fully late rates. The River Plate section proved dull and weak for old crop positions, and handy sizes up river to U.K.-Continent October-November quoted at 16/-, but new crop fairly steady, while ranging from 22/6 to 23/9 as to size. Linseed Rosario to New York quoted 5¼ dols. to 5½ dols new season's loading. North American markets firm for grain, with sustained inquiries. Montreal to U.K. quoted 3/6, Antwerp 3/3 per qr., and West Italy 20 cents per 100lbs., heavy grain; while similar cargoes are quoting from American Northern range ports to Mediterranean at recent figures. American coal firm, with fair inquiries at 2½ dols. to Continent, and 4 dols. Brazils or River. Timber, cotton, and miscellaneous cargoes move off slowly at previous quotations. Eastern markets experience a fair inquiry, and late rates are maintained. Bombay-Karachi on dead weight indicates 24/6, Mauritius sugar 27/6, Java sugar 35/-, Australian wheat 37/6 to 40/- as to loading port to U.K.-Continent. North Pacific grain firm at 36/3 December, and 37/6 January to U.K.-Continent. Danube grain meets with attention at about 17/6 October-November, and Black Sea 14/- to Continent, 14/6 U.K.-Continent, with 1/- stevedoring. Mineral ores rates steady, but business does not expand. Outward coal in fair request, and rates remain steady, especially for prompt loading. Fixtures—Maria Ilathatos, 6,800 tons, 10 per cent. Danube-Antwerp-Hamburg, 8th-20th November, 17/-, heavy grain; Antar, 9,400 tons, 1 per cent. North Pacific, United Kingdom-Continent, 25/-, December, heavy grain; Piovlanna, 8,000 tons, 1 per cent. Northern Range to West Italy, 3 dols. 15 cents., October-November, per 100lbs.; Fernmore, 8,000 tons, 1 per cent Northern Range to Rio, November, 3 dols. 85 cents.

DUBLIN WEEKLY TRADE REPORT.

The week closes with hopeful prospects of strike settlements in the near future and a general resumption of business activities. There is a considerable arrears of trade to be overtaken, and healthy prospects for fresh operations in several channels.

EXPORTS OF PORTER.

Messrs. A. Guinness, Son and Co.'s shipments of porter from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists for the past week, were:—

Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf.-Brls.	Qr.-Brls.
1,782	9,647	644	413	155

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:

	Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr.Brls.
1922...	641	3,265	7,987	326	142
1921...	1,804	5,322	245	158	14
1920...	1,906	9,325	641	410	30

The above week's exports are equal to 13,804 hhds. for 1923, as against 10,004 hhds. for 1922, 9,147 hhds. for 1921, and 13,707 hhds. for 1920.

The following quantities of porter were also shipped from Dublin by the various firms named, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists, for the week ending October 20th, 1923:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
Watkins Jameson & Co.	—	30	70	292	30	179
Mountjoy Brewery Co.	9	10	—	3	—	29
D'Arcy & Son	—	—	3	2	—	3
Total	9	40	73	297	30	211

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
1922 ...	—	45	104	221	68	198
1921 ...	8	94	103	203	25	251
1920 ...	—	125	46	139	22	206

EXPORTS OF WHISKEY.

The quantities of whiskey exported from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists and bills of entry, for the week ending October 20th, 1923, were:—Jameson, 285 gallons; Dublin Distilleries Co., 1,150 gallons; Daly & Co., 256 gallons; Power, 22 gallons; others, 6,288 gallons.

Corresponding week's shipments for the previous three years:—

	Fns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Cks.	Qr-Cks.	Octs.	Kegs.
1922 ...	—	—	—	68	5	—	—
1921 ...	5	5	5	14	4	—	—
1920 ...	—	132	64	40	—	—	2

FOREIGN IMPORTS.

Direct foreign arrivals at Ports of Dublin last week embraced:—From Baltimore—10,164 bags flour, 79 hhds., 5 cs. tobacco, 500 sacks rolled oats, 500 sacks pinhead oatmeal, 2,000 qrs. wheat. From Leghorn—213 bdles. brooms. From Valencia—1,500 cases onions. From Almeria—1,900 barrels grapes. From Malaga—Forty bags oxide of iron, 585 boxes raisins, 5 hhds. wine, 91 cs. pomegranates. From Oporto—64 pipes, 132 qr. cks., 18 hhds. wine. From Rouen—6,000 sks. plaster of Paris. From Antwerp—6,000 bags plaster, 6,000 bags cement. From Hamburg—Large miscellaneous cargo comprising principally pianos, gramaphones, ironware, glassware, machinery, paper, clocks, buckets, metalware, salt, toys, porcelain and enamel ware, music ware, accordeons, leather goods, china. From cross-Channel ports 21,869 tons of coal arrived per 60 colliers.

FAILED TO STOP AFTER ACCIDENT.

In the Northern Police Court, Dublin, on Saturday, Charles Lennox, a motor driver, of Charlemont road, Sandymount, was fined 40s. for failing to stop after his car had knocked down a child in Lower Sheriff street. A charge of driving to the public danger was dismissed through lack of evidence.

Swansea Town Council has decided to proceed with negotiations with a view to constructing a marine drive from Mumbles to Langland at an estimated cost of nearly £50,000.

PROSPECTUS.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS.

The LIST for both Cash and Conversion Applications will be CLOSED on or before FRIDAY, the 26th OCTOBER, 1923.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA 5 P.C. INSCRIBED STOCK, 1933-1943.

ISSUE OF £9,000,000.

PRICE OF ISSUE...... £99 10s. PER CENT.

Interest payable 1st June and 1st December. Six months' Interest payable 1st June, 1924.

The holders of £2,655,035 2/2 Cape of Good Hope Government 4 per cent. Stock, maturing 1st December, 1923, are offered conversion, in whole or in part, into an equal amount of this Stock on the terms stated below and will receive preferential allotment.

The Government of the Union of South Africa will comply with the requirements of the Colonial Stock Act, 1900, in order that **Trustees may invest in this Stock** subject to the provisions set forth in the Trustee Act, 1893.

WESTMINSTER BANK LIMITED, THE NATIONAL BANK OF SOUTH AFRICA LIMITED, and THE STANDARD BANK OF SOUTH AFRICA LIMITED are instructed by the Government of the Union of South Africa to offer for subscription the above amount of Stock.

The Loan is raised for the redemption of £2,655,035 2/2 Cape of Good Hope Government 4 per cent. Stock and £3,000,000 Treasury Bills, maturing in London, and for Railways, Harbours, Irrigation Works, Land Settlement and other Public Works.

Union of South Africa Government Debentures and Stock issued and payable in London, and the interest thereon, the property of persons not domiciled in the Union of South Africa, are not, and will not be, subject to any taxes, duties or levies in the Union of South Africa.

The accumulated Sinking Funds (for the redemption of debt) amount to £10,829,000; in addition Debt has been extinguished to the extent of £18,395,000.

The revenues of the Government of the Union of South Africa alone are liable in respect of this Stock and the Dividends thereon, and the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom and the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are not directly or indirectly liable or responsible for the payment of the Stock or of the Dividends thereon, or for any matter relating thereto.—40 and 41 Vict., cap. 59, sec. 19.

Cash Applications on the form prescribed will be received at Westminster Bank Limited, LOTHBURY; at the National Bank of South Africa Limited, Circus place, London Wall, E.C. 2, and at the Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, 10 Clement's lane, E.C. 4, and must be for even hundreds of Stock, and be accompanied by a deposit of £5 per cent. on the nominal amount applied for.

Payment will be required as follows, viz.:—

£5	per cent. on application.
£24 10s.	per cent. on 7th November, 1923.
£30	per cent. on 30th November, 1923.
£40	per cent. on 21st December, 1923.
£99 10s.	

Payment in full may be made after allotment, and discount at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum will be allowed from **7th November, 1923**, or from any subsequent date.

Holders of Cape of Good Hope Government 4 per cent. Stock, maturing 1st December, 1923, exercising their option to convert into an equal amount of Union of South Africa 5 per cent. Inscribed Stock, 1933-1943, will receive a cash payment of 10s. per cent. on 1st December, 1923, being the difference between the nominal amount of the Stock maturing and the issue price of the Union of South Africa 5 per cent. Inscribed Stock, 1933-1943: holders of Stock converting to receive the dividend due 1st December, 1923. The prescribed Forms of Assent must be lodged with Westminster Bank Limited, 41 Lothbury, E.C. 2.

Any portion of the maturing Stock not converted will be paid off at Westminster Bank Limited, Head Office, 41 Lothbury, E.C. 2, on the 1st December, 1923.

Full Prospectuses and Forms for Cash Applications and Conversion can be obtained at Westminster Bank Limited, 41 Lothbury, London, E.C.2; 21 Lombard street, London, E.C. 3; 4 Bartholomew lane, London, E.C. 2, or at any of the Branches of the Bank; at the Ulster Bank Limited, Belfast, and Branches of that Bank; at the National Bank of South Africa Limited, Circus place, London Wall, London, E.C. 2; at the Standard Bank of South Africa Limited, 10 Clement's lane, London, E.C. 4, and of Messrs. R. Nivison and Co., Bank Buildings, Princes street, London, E.C. 2.

THIS FORM MAY BE USED.

Application No. .... Allotment No. ....

FORM OF APPLICATION for UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA 5 PER CENT. INSCRIBED STOCK, 1933-1943.

(21)

To WESTMINSTER BANK LIMITED,
Head Office: 41 Lothbury, London, E.C. 2.
THE NATIONAL BANK OF SOUTH AFRICA LIMITED,
Circus place, London Wall, London, E.C. 2.
THE STANDARD BANK OF SOUTH AFRICA LIMITED,
10 Clement's lane, London, E.C. 4.

I/we hereby apply for £.................... say .... of the UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA 5% INSCRIBED STOCK, 1933-1943, according to the Prospectus of 19th October, 1923, and undertake to pay £99 10s. for every £100 of Stock, and to accept the same or any less amount that may be allotted to me/us, and to pay for the same in conformity with the terms of the said Prospectus.

I/we enclose the required deposit of £............ being £5 per cent. on the NOMINAL AMOUNT applied for.

SIGNATURE ....
Please write distinctly.

NAME (in full) ....
(Block letters.) (State if Mr., Mrs., or Miss.)

ADDRESS (in full) ....

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.... October, 1923.

CRIMINAL ASSAULT.

JURY FAILS TO AGREE IN LONGFORD CASE.

At Longford Quarter Sessions, John Kilduff pleaded not guilty to a charge of criminal assault on a girl, aged 14, at Lanesborough in February last.

The evidence of the little girl was to the effect that she was sent to a house with her sister for milk. Her sister, on the way, left her to go to another house. John Kilduff was in the house to which the witness was sent, and he told her that he wanted to write a letter, which could not be written in the house, as there were too many people there. He went to an outhouse and she followed. When they went in he locked the door and assaulted her.

Dr. W. C. McCann gave evidence of assault, but could not say whether it was recent or not. Dr. Mary J. Farrell also gave evidence in corroboration of Dr. McCann.

The accused, examined on his own behalf, completely denied the charge.

The jury failed to agree, and the case was adjourned to next Sessions, accused being allowed out on bail.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORTS.

SATURDAY.

Wind and Weather—S.S.W. wind, strong breeze; fine and clear.

Foreign Arrivals — Drechtstroom, of Amsterdam, 949 tons register, Captain Jonker, from Amsterdam, with a general cargo; discharging at Shelter Sheds, North Wall Extension. Glenfinlas, of Glasgow, 2,014 tons register, Captain Nelson, from Chatham (N.B.), with a cargo of deals; discharging in Alexandra Basin.

Coastwise Arrivals—Hartford, Peggy Grieve, Pickmere, from Liverpool, with goods; Mia, from Liverpool, with goods and motor cars; Clareisland, from Liverpool, with empties; Happy Harry (schooner), from Wexford, with malt; Talacre, Point of Ayr, from Point of Aire, with coals; Glenageary, from Partington, with coals; Fodhla, from Ayr, with coals; Cameo, E. Hayward, Ibis, Stainburn, from Garston, with coals; Isabeletta, from Ellesmereport, with coals; Wythburn, from Whitehaven, with coals.

Foreign Departures — Vestfos, of Christiania (Norway), 826 tons register, Captain Ellengsen, for Christiania, with a cargo of coke.

Coastwise Departures—Westdale, for Manchester, with barmak; Clareisland, for Liverpool, with porter; Sutton, Dunleith, for Liverpool, light; Mary Summerfield, Whin, St. Mungo, for Garston, light; Slateford, for Penmon, light; Katherine, for Holyhead, light; Nugget, for Llandulas, light; Amy Summerfield, for Glasgow, light; Stanley, for Trevor, light.

SUNDAY.

Wind and Weather—W.S.W. to W. wind, fresh breeze; forenoon fine and clear; afternoon overcast and showery.

Coastwise Arrivals—Glen-Mary, Kilmarnock, from Liverpool, with goods; Miriam Thomas, from Liverpool, with sugar; Dedesmere, from Liverpool, with fruit; Monas Belle, from Liverpool, with soap; Castlerock, from London, with cement; Hera, from Barrow, with motor spirit; Halton, Saltom, from Garston, with coals; Briarfield, Acme, Alyn, from Garston, with coals; Mary Summerfield, Thelma, from Garston, with coals; Glenculien, from Partington, with coals; Beechfield, from Preston, with coals.

Coastwise Departures—Aysgarth Force, for Liverpool, with goods; Mayfield, for Southampton, with porter; Princetown, Alder, for Newport, light; Ualan, for Cardiff, light; Wythburn, Ibis, Cameo, for Garston, light; Glenageary, for Partington, light; Talacre, Point of Ayr, for Point of Aire, light; Fodhla, for Penmon, light; E. Hayward, for Ormeshead, light.

Mr. J. E. Featherston, Secretary to the Minister of the Interior of the Canadian Government, is to go to Hong Kong to superintend the regulations regarding the emigration of Chinese to Canada.

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TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), AT 2 P.M. SHARP, AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

110 LEINSTER ROAD, RATHMINES.

CLEAR POSSESSION. Attractively situated House, with very large garden. Electric light laid on. Contains 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, scullery, pantry, housemaid's pantry, coal-house. Keys at 110 Grafton street. Held for 150 years from September, 1851, and sold subject to the adjusted rent of £3 10s. 6d. per annum.
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141 LEINSTER ROAD, RATHMINES.

CLEAR POSSESSION. Well-built, Semi-detached House, containing 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, maid's room, with kitchen, pantries; large garden; side entrance. Garage. Lease 37 years unexpired. Ground rent £8.
ERNEST E. MERRICK, Solicitor, 202 Great Brunswick street.

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SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE, WITH CLEAR POSSESSION. Electric light. New drains. New decoration; 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, etc.; garden front and rear; gas. An attractive residential position, two minutes from tram. Lease 500 years. Sold subject to £10 per annum. Key at No. 10.
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SALE TO-MORROW (TUESDAY). ON VIEW TO-DAY.
3 CONNAUGHT TERRACE, GARVILLE AVENUE, RATHGAR.—FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

INCLUDING: Pianoforte, by Collard and Collard; Mahogany Pedestal Sideboard, Bureau and Bookcase, Dinner Wagon, Set of Spoon-back Chairs, Telescope Dining Table, Mahogany and other Overmantels, Inlaid Cabinet, Card and Occasional Tables; Inlaid Mahogany Drawingroom Suite, upholstered in stamped velvet; Occasional Chairs and Easy Chairs, Oil Paintings, Pictures, Needlework Screens, Plated Ware, Axminster and other Carpets and Rugs, etc., etc.; Walnut Bedroom Suite, Chest Drawers, Commode, Wardrobes, Toilet Tables, Washstand, Toilet Glasses, All-Brass and Black and Brass Bedsteads, with Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding; Kitchen Dresser, Tables, Mangles, Dinner Set, and the usual Utensils; Lawn Mower, Ladders, and Garden Tools.

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MERRION—143 STRAND ROAD.

ON VIEW TO-DAY.
ATTRACTIVE SALE OF SUPERIOR ANTIQUE AND MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS.

WE are instructed by Miss MAPLE to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, as above, on TO-MORROW at 12 o'clock noon, the Appointments of the Residence, comprising—Inlaid Walnut Drawingroom Suite (7 pieces), Inlaid French Louis Period Writing Table, with ormolu mounts; French Boule China Cabinet, Pair French Boule Cabinets, with glass case tops, 2' 4" wide; IMPORTANT PAIR CARVED AND GILTWOOD LAMP STANDS, WITH MIRROR TOPS, 4' HIGH; French Clock, in ormolu case, by Lefante, Paris; Cut Glass Electrolier, 3 lights; Overmantel Glass, in openwork gilt frame; Mahogany Mirror-back Sideboard, Dumb Waiter, Walnut Oval-End Dining Table (2 spare leaves), Mahogany Pedestal, Writing Table and Side Tables, 6 Walnut Chairs, Easy Chairs, Inlaid Mahogany Corner China Cabinet, French Clock and Pair Figure Ornaments en suite; Pair Bronze Marli Horses, Gilt Georgian Overmantel Glass; IMPORTANT PAIR BRONZE BEAKERS ON PEDESTALS, Palm Stands, Figure Electric Hall Lamp and Shade, Carved Oak Hall Furniture, Bronze Clock, Wall Mirrors, Carved Walnut Bedroom Suites, Chests Drawers, Brass Bedsteads and Bedding, 5 Pairs new Lace Curtains, 4 yards long; House and Table Linen, Toilet Sets; Axminster and Brussels Floor and Stair Carpets, Pair Georgian Silver Table Candlesticks; FINE PAIR OLD SHEFFIELD OVAL SAUCE BOATS, WITH COVERS; Salt Cellars, Tea Kettle, etc.; Plated Ware, Table Glass and Oriental China; Oil Paintings, Engravings; Kitchen and Culinary Utensils; Mangle, Meat Safe, Presses, Garden Vases, Roller, Hose, Water Cans, Wood Shed, Garden Seats and Chairs, Lawn Hurdles, Greenhouse, 9' x 12' x 10'; Plants, Hot Frame, Handcart, Garden Tools, Lawn Mower, large quantity Trellis Work and Poles, Ladder, etc., etc.
Admission on Day of Sale by card only, price one shilling each, which will be refunded to purchasers. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

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BRITISH AND ORIENTAL CARPETS AND RUGS,

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HIGH-CLASS AUCTION OF
SUPERIOR MODERN FURNITURE, CARPETS, AND EFFECTS,

Comprising:—DRAWINGROOM, DININGROOM, BEDROOM, and HALL FURNITURE, in VARIETY: ROOM, STAIR, and LANDING CARPETS, HEARTH RUGS, LINOLEUMS; OVERMANTELS; and a LARGE COLLECTION of CLEAN KITCHEN FURNITURE, DRESSERS, MANGLES, PRESSES, TABLES, CHAIRS, CHINA, GLASS, PLATED WARE, &c. Sale commences 1 p.m. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. fees.

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BY instructions of Messrs. the Londonderry Bridge Commissioners, who have decided to discontinue the River Foyle Ferry Service, we will dispose of by
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE,
7 STEAM AND MOTOR FERRIES,
Equally suitable for Towing or Transport purposes, as follow:—

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The above have been kept in good running condition, periodically overhauled and inspected, and sold without guarantee. They may be inspected at any time prior to sale, and further particulars, inspection of Certificates, etc., obtained on application to

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A SPLENDID Secondhand Pianoforte, iron frame, £2 monthly; beware of green new pianos. Consult John Wakefield, 40 years' experience, 40 Upper O'Connell st. (first floor), until new premises ready. 19 O

AMERICAN Organ, splendid tone; sacrifice, £8.—44 Eccles street. 21 D

COTTAGE or small Grand Piano wanted; state full particulars.—A 1932, this office. 12 11

GOOD Piano Wanted. Reply, giving maker, condition and price.—B 1046, this office.

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ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Owack, 66 Aungier st., gives highest prices for Left Off Clothing, Furniture, etc.; distance no objection. T

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3 Dozen only Self Black Wool Jumpers, long sleeve and small collar, V neck effect, in small ladies' sizes. Worth 15/11. Clearing 12/6

6 Dozen Wool Jumpers, with high neck, finished black silk braid. Shades: Putty, Jade, Saxe. Worth 16/11. Clearing 12/6

6 Dozen Crepe de Chene Blouses, in assorted colourings, round necks and shirt collar shapes; slightly tossed. Worth 29/6 to 42/-. Clearing 25/9, 21/9, 18/11, and 15/11

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20 Dozen Fine Wool Jumpers, as sketch. Very large sizes. Shades: Apricot, Lemon, Flame, Mauve, Cherry. Worth 10/11. Clearing 7/11

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